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GONEGovernment fails when  
the excess of cost robs  
the people of the way  
to happiness and the  
opportunity to achieve  
—President Harding

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CONTROVERSY  
BREWING OVER  
EXECUTIVE POWERRepublican "Isolation Bloc"  
and Secretary Hughes Differ  
on Binding Force of  
President's Foreign Policy.FOREIGN DIPLOMATS  
ARE BEWILDEREDBrandegee's Idea Senate  
Must Be Consulted on All  
Moves May Give Demo-  
crats an Issue.By DAVID LAWRENCE.  
A Special Washington Correspondent  
of the Post-Dispatch.WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Senator  
Brandegee's pronouncement that  
the United States is not bound by  
the foreign policy of the President  
or Secretary of State without the  
consent of the Senate is the sensation  
of the hour.Foreign governments, whose  
representatives have been at a loss  
to understand the constitutional  
system of the United States ever since  
an American President signed a  
contract which the Senate repudiated,  
are bewildered over the new turn  
of events.The truth is, a controversy has  
been brewing under the surface  
between President Harding's  
colleagues on the Republican side  
of the Senate chamber and the  
Secretary of State, which, if carried to  
a logical conclusion, may mean a  
revolutionary change in the  
importance of the Secretary of State  
or American Ambassadors abroad.(Senator Brandegee, in reply to a  
question by Senator King, Democrat,  
Utah, in the Senate, yesterday,  
said that it was true that "the Pres-  
ident had the tendency to ask for  
and he had the tendency to give him  
his view on" the question of Ameri-  
can representation at the coming  
Genoa economic conference. He  
said that he did not dispute the  
President's right to "personal  
agents" on such missions, but he  
did not think anything such repre-  
sentatives did could be binding on  
the American Government unless the  
consent of Congress had been  
obtained to the agreements.)Growth of Controversy.  
Senator Brandegee is the leader  
of the "isolation bloc." But the  
views he expresses, about the neces-  
sity of getting the consent of the  
Senate before any international act  
of the United States Government  
is binding, is not something of  
recent origin.The late Philander C. Knox, once  
a Secretary of State himself, became  
converted to that doctrine after he  
became a member of the Senate, and  
it was with difficulty that President  
Harding coaxed him to eliminate  
from his famous peace resolution a  
phrase "directing" the chief execu-  
tive to negotiate a treaty with Ger-  
many.Besides Senator Brandegee, there  
are some senators of the so-called  
liberal school and some Democrats  
of the William Jennings Bryan phi-  
losophy on foreign affairs who be-  
lieve a diplomatic note exchanged  
between governments should not be  
sent without the full approval of the  
American Senate.President Harding himself has  
recognized the weight of the move-  
ment which seeks to prevent the  
Chief Executive by a series of notes  
from committing the Government to  
a course of action from which the  
Senate cannot honorably extricate  
itself.It is still a matter of debate in  
congressional circles whether the  
members who voted for the declara-  
tion of war with Germany after the  
Chief Executive had publicly pro-  
claimed the step would have voted  
for war if the issue had arisen in  
Congress without any previous ex-  
changes of notes on the submarine  
question by which the Executive  
felt America was committed to go  
to war.May Establish a Precedent.  
The problem of an executive's  
right to negotiate any kind of an  
agreement with a foreign Govern-  
ment has suddenly been thrown  
into the maelstrom of after-the-war  
controversy, and while this ques-  
tion arose over the sending of an  
American representative to attend  
the Genoa conference, it will estab-  
lish an important precedent.Brandegee's Counselor does not  
deny the right of the President  
to send an Ambassador or any other  
personal agent to attend unofficially  
or otherwise an international con-  
ference such as is to be held at Ge-  
noa, but he insists that neither the  
President nor his spokesmen can  
commit the United States to any  
many years.

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PAINTERS AND DECORATORS  
SAID TO FAVOR LOWERING  
WAGE SCALE TO \$1 AN HOURSentiment in Union Indicates Meeting Sunday  
Will Result in Recommendation—Citizens  
to Deal With Building Workers.It was learned today that senti-  
ment in the Painters' District Coun-  
cil is overwhelmingly in favor of  
lowering the wage scale of painters,  
decorators and paper hangers from  
\$1.25 to \$1 an hour, and that the  
mass meeting of these crafts, which  
will be held at 10 a. m. Sunday at  
Eagles' Hall, Jefferson and Lafayette  
avenues, is almost certain to result  
in a recommendation that the lower  
scale be put in effect.A conference of representatives  
of the unions and the employers  
was held on this question yesterday  
afternoon.While this meeting was being  
held, there was a conference in an-  
other place of the building con-  
tractors, subcontractors and repre-  
sentatives of civic and commercial  
organizations to devise ways by  
which other crafts in the Building  
Trades Council may be induced to  
accept a maximum wage of \$1 an  
hour. This conference was called  
by the Building Employers' Asso-  
ciation, which is composed of con-  
tractors and subcontractors, and the  
result was a decision to create a  
citizens' committee to deal with the  
building wage situation, it being the  
consensus of opinion at the meeting  
that the basic wage of \$1.25 an  
hour, the highest of any large city  
in the United States, was inimical  
to the progress of the city.Resolution Adopted.  
The following resolution was  
adopted:  
"Resolved, That the deadlock in  
the building wage situation has now  
become a matter of great public con-  
cern, affecting our citizens and our  
wage earners of all classes, and be it  
furthered, That the several repre-  
sentative civic organizations of St.  
Louis officially appoint one or more  
delegates to deal with this situa-  
tion."Organizations represented at the  
meeting were the St. Louis Chamber  
of Commerce, Merchants and Man-  
ufacturers' Association, Real Estate  
Exchange, American Institute of  
Architects, Engineers' Club, Adver-  
tising Club, Electrical Contractors'  
Association, Kiwanis Club, Lions  
Club, Contracting Painters' Asso-  
ciation, Composition Roofers' Asso-  
ciation and a number of men repre-  
senting private enterprises. Another  
meeting will be held when the var-  
ious organizations represented shall  
formally designate a delegate to  
serve on the Citizens' Committee. AThe painters' organization was the  
only one of all the unions in the  
building trades that voted for the  
lower wage scale in the recent refer-  
endum in the building trades. The  
Charles J. Lammett, president of  
the Building Trades Council and sec-  
retary of the Painters' District  
Council, said today that the paint-  
ers, decorators and paper hangers  
believed they would have sufficient  
work at \$1 an hour to justify their  
acceptance of this wage, whereas,  
the present rate of pay, work is not  
nearly as regular or plentiful as it  
would be under the lower wage.WIRE SECRECY THOUGHT  
TO HAVE DRAWBACKSExperts Believe Old Party Line  
May Be More Popular Than  
New "Superphone."Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Prac-  
tical telephone men grant that the  
"superphone," demonstrated yester-  
day in the office of the chief signal  
officer of the army, which is said to  
assure absolute secrecy of commu-  
nication, is an important invention,  
but they are agreed that it will never  
supplant the telephone with most  
men and women, who value their tele-  
phones for the secrets that they divulge.The new invention also makes  
possible multiplex telephony. That  
is, one telephone line with "super-  
phones" attached, can be used for a  
number of conversations simultane-  
ously, with no pair of speakers over-  
heard by the others. The multiplex-  
ity of the old-fashioned party line, it  
is opined, will continue in favor, be-  
cause it permits the conversation of  
each pair of speakers to be over-  
heard.It is admitted, though, that the  
"superphone" will have its uses, mili-  
tary and mercantile, where telepho-  
nic secrecy is a desideratum. It has  
been developed under the direction  
of R. D. Duncan Jr., chief engineer of  
the Signal Corps Research Labora-  
tory of the Bureau of Standards, as-  
sisted by S. Isler, assistant radio en-  
gineer. It consists of a small port-  
able set of instruments which may  
be installed quickly and connected  
directly with existing wires. The  
same as in "wired wireless," high  
frequency alternating currents being  
employed.Canvassack Ducks in Arkansas.  
By the Associated Press.  
HELLENA, Ark., Jan. 25.—Six  
canvassack ducks were killed near  
here this morning by two local  
sportsmen. This is the first time the  
canvassack has appeared here in  
many years.NIGHT AND DAY  
BANK INQUIRY TO  
GO BACK TO 1920Withdrawal of State Funds  
From Institution by Pres-  
ent Treasurer Soon After  
He Took Office, Noted.STATE ACCOUNT  
CLOSED IN JULY, 1921Witness Heard by Grand  
Jury Former Examiner  
Who Reported Bank Cha-  
otic in September, 1920.The grand jury's inquiry into the  
looting of the Night and Day Bank  
has been carried back to the year  
1920, to determine whether the bank  
was in an unsound condition in the  
latter part of that year, more than  
one year before its closing, which  
took place Jan. 6 last.The presence of funds from the  
State treasury in the bank, in the  
latter part of 1920 and the first half  
of 1921, will figure in this phase of  
the investigation.  
The Night and Day Bank, on Oct.  
1, 1920, had \$219,000 of State funds;  
Nov. 1 it had \$220,000; Dec. 1, \$260,  
000; Jan. 1, 1921, it had \$262,000;  
March 1, \$268,000; April 1, \$269,000;  
May 1, \$269,000; June 1, \$269,000;  
July 1, \$269,000, which, with accrued  
interest, \$40,392.02 in all, was with-  
drawn July 30, 1921.Gradual Withdrawals Noted.  
It will be noticed that State  
Treasurer Thompson began with-  
drawing State funds from the bank  
soon after he took office, increasing  
the withdrawals after the coming of  
new contracts for State depositaries,  
but not completing the withdrawal  
until the expiration of the 180 days  
allowed by statute for the withdrawal  
of funds from a depository.The money was placed with the  
Night and Day Bank under the ad-  
ministration of George H. Middle-  
kamp as State Treasurer. The con-  
tracting of banks, as depositories for  
State funds, is made by the Fund Com-  
mission, which consists of the Treasurer,  
Governor, Auditor and Attorney-  
General. Bids are taken for the con-  
tracting of banks for the first year of  
the State's deposits, and one or  
more of these fractional amounts  
is placed with each depository, ac-  
cording to the rate of interest of-  
fered. The last Legislature amended  
the law as to withdrawals, extending  
the time for withdrawal of State  
funds from 45 days to 180 days.Security for State Deposits.  
Banks acting as depositories for  
State funds are required to provide  
security for the deposits, sufficient to  
protect the State against loss.  
George W. Hobbs, who was a  
State bank examiner in 1920, and  
who is now a vice-president of the  
Republic National Bank, was a  
witness yesterday afternoon. He re-  
ported in September, 1920, that the  
affairs of the Night and Day were  
in chaotic condition, and a later in-  
quiry was made in December of that  
year.J. G. Hughes, State Commissioner  
of Finance, in an announcement to-  
day as to the plans for reorganization,  
said the important thing was that  
depositories should sign the agree-  
ment to accept the plan of pay-  
ment offered, whether they subscribed  
for stock in the reorganized bank or  
not.The plan of payment is that de-  
positors shall receive 25 per cent of  
their deposits as soon as the bank is  
re-opened; 25 per cent after four  
months, and shall accept trust cer-  
tificates for the remaining 50 per cent,  
agreeing to take their pro rata shares  
of the assets available for payment  
of depositors. No guarantee is given  
as to how much of the last 50 per  
cent will be realized by depositors, but  
Hughes has stated that they must  
not expect to get it all, and that no  
promise of a 100 per cent settlement  
is made.Such depositors as subscribe for  
stock of the new bank will give au-  
thority to have their stock subscrip-  
tions deducted from the first payment  
of 25 per cent due them.  
Up to this morning the subscrip-  
tions for stock amounted to about  
\$75,000 out of \$250,000 which must  
be subscribed to finance the reorgani-  
zation. Hughes said, however, that  
even if the depositors should not  
subscribe the entire \$250,000, outside  
capital probably would be willing to  
furnish a part of the amount provid-  
ed the depositors give their consent  
to the plan of settlement.

## SLEEPING SICKNESS IN MOSCOW

By the Associated Press.  
RIGA, Jan. 25.—More than a  
score of cases of sleeping sickness  
have developed in Moscow, accord-  
ing to John P. Gregg of Portland,  
Ore., an attaché of the American  
Relief Administration.\$6,157,638 LISTED  
IN WOMAN'S RETURN  
FOR PERSONAL TAXESFigure for Mrs. Penfield One  
of Largest Ever Recorded by  
Philadelphia Individual.By the Associated Press.  
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 25.—  
One of the largest individual tax re-  
turns ever recorded in Philadelphia  
has been filed by Mrs. Anne W.  
Courtland Penfield. She acknowl-  
edges ownership of personal property  
worth \$6,157,638, according to tax  
books, which were opened for in-  
spection today.Mrs. Penfield, whose return sev-  
eral years ago exceeded \$5,000,000,  
made a return for the present year  
of \$812,700.The late Senator Boies Penrose's  
personal property was valued at  
\$100,000, and Benjamin F. Shibe,  
baseball magnate, who died recently,  
returned \$103,338.Mrs. Penfield is the wife of the  
former Ambassador to Austria-Hun-  
gary under the Wilson adminis-  
tration. She is a member of the Weight-  
man family, which became wealthy  
in the drug business.FULL INDEPENDENCE FOR  
IRELAND OBJECT OF LEAGUEInternational Organization Is  
Launched at World Congress  
in Paris.By the Associated Press.  
PARIS, Jan. 25.—The Interna-  
tional Irish League, organized here  
today by the World Congress of the  
League of Nations, has as its ob-  
ject the full independence of Ire-  
land and the free nations of the earth.U. R. NIGHT EMPLOYEES TART  
WAGE CONTRACT AGREEMENTContinuation of Last Year's Scale For  
First Six Months of 1922  
Provided For.The night men of the United Rail-  
ways Co. at a meeting this morning  
in Eagles' Hall, Jefferson and Lafay-  
ette avenues, ratified by an over-  
whelming vote the contract with the  
Street Car Men's Union that was  
recently agreed upon for the first  
six months of this year by Receiver  
Wells and the union's Wage Com-  
mittee. The day men will meet to-  
night at the same hall to vote on the  
proposed contract.The agreement provides for a con-  
tinuation of the wage scale of last  
year, which was 50 cents an hour for  
the first year's employment, 55 cents  
an hour for the second year, 60  
cents an hour for the third year and  
65 cents an hour thereafter.G. O. P. SENATORS AGREE TO PASS  
TARIFF BILL AT THIS SESSIONDecision Reached at Conference of  
Leaders That Bonus Bill Should  
Originate in House.By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Assur-  
ance that the permanent tariff bill  
will be reported to the Senate early  
in February and passed before the  
close of the present session was  
given by Senate Republican leaders  
today, at a conference between the  
two groups.  
The agreement was reached at the  
conference that the proposed soldier  
bonus bill should originate in the  
House. House leaders said a meas-  
ure would be drafted at once by the  
Ways and Means Committee and  
probably reported to the House in  
two weeks.

## MEXICAN ARTIST HANGS SELF

Alberto Fuster Was Consul in Italy  
for 14 Years Under Diaz.  
By the Associated Press.  
AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 25.—Alberto  
Fuster, for 14 years Mexican Consul  
in Italy under the regime of Presi-  
dent Diaz and reputed to be one of  
the foremost painters of Mexico,  
hanged his life here today by hang-  
ing.Senator Fuster was a patient in the  
city hospital, where he had been taken  
several days ago after he leaped  
from a moving train and slung his  
throat in an effort to kill himself.

## Labor Presents Genoa Protest.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Protest  
of organized labor against American  
participation in the Genoa confer-  
ence was presented to President  
Harding today by Samuel Gompers,  
president of the American Federa-  
tion of Labor.RESTRICTIONS ON  
ATTENDANCE AT  
POPE'S FUNERALOnly Cardinals, Members of  
Diplomatic Corps and Ari-  
stocracy May Be Present at  
Ceremony Tomorrow.POPE'S BODY VIEWED  
BY 500,000 PERSONSCardinal Mercier Expected to  
Lead Foreign Cardinals on  
First Ballot as Successor  
to Benedict.By the Associated Press.  
ROME, Jan. 25.—The funeral of  
Pope Benedict will be at 3 o'clock  
tomorrow afternoon, it was an-  
nounced at the Vatican today.The College of Cardinals further  
decided that the funeral ceremony  
shall be attended only by Cardinals,  
members of the diplomatic corps and  
representatives of Roman aristocra-  
cy.The body of the Pontiff will be  
placed in the sacristy in the left  
nave of the Basilica.  
Benedict's tomb faces that in which  
Pope Pius VI lies; it adjoins that of  
Queen Christina of Sweden, who  
having abdicated the throne in 1654,  
settled in Rome, where she died in  
1689.Pilgrims continue to arrive from  
all parts of Italy, camping in the  
open air before St. Peter's in the  
hope of getting a glimpse of the  
body. It is estimated that more than  
three million persons have fled past  
the catafalque in the two days on  
which the body has been exposed,  
the crowds, though orderly, taxing  
the gendarmes charged with keeping  
them in line.Cardinal Mercier "Dark Horse."  
Meanwhile the foreign Cardinals  
continue to arrive for the conclave  
of the Sacred College at which the  
new pontiff will be elected.Cardinal Mercier of Belgium, who  
is looked upon as somewhat of a  
"dark horse" in the election, is ex-  
pected in time for the funeral.It is acknowledged on all sides  
that he is certain to poll more votes  
than the first ballot than any other  
foreign Cardinal.  
Cardinal La Fontaine, patriarch of  
Venice, who has been prominently  
mentioned as a probable successor  
of Pope Benedict, was given an ovation  
as he left Venice for Rome this  
forenoon, but deprecated the popu-  
lar demonstration, dispatches from  
Venice say. The old saying, "He  
who goes into the conclave a Pope  
comes out a Cardinal," was the re-  
sponse of the prelate to the demon-  
strations which predicted his accession  
to the papacy.Groups Affect Silence.  
The repetition of this phrase here  
in Rome, where it attracted much  
attention in the newspapers, appears  
to have a marked effect today upon  
the proponents of some of the other  
Cardinals, who are popularly sup-  
ported for the pontifical see and in  
some quarters there develops a ten-  
dency to feel that the popularity  
which Cardinal Maffei enjoys might  
be the greatest handicap to his elec-  
tion.The old proverb, it was evident,  
had a strong influence among the  
masses of people, and silence has  
now become the rule on the part of  
the various groups favoring certain  
candidates. The general tendency is  
to hark back to the elections of Pius  
X and Benedict XV, neither of whom  
was mentioned by anyone for the  
pontifical throne before the conclave.  
Cardinal Bourne, Archbishop of  
Westminster, arrived today from  
England and visited St. Peter's,  
where he rendered homage to the  
dead Pope.The statement has appeared in  
several newspapers that Crown  
Prince Humbert visited the Cathedral  
yesterday to view the body. This is  
semi-officially denied through the  
Stefani News Agency.The formal registration of the  
death of Benedict took place yester-  
day morning in the Roman Capitol,  
when Mayor Valli himself received  
Prince Aldobrandini, commander of  
the Noble Guard, and Marquis Sac-  
chetti, acted as witnesses. The death  
record was entered in a specially  
prepared register, lined in satin and  
was engraved in silver.Alignment of Forces.  
An alignment of forces and opin-  
ions which are likely to clash in the  
conclave for the election of the new  
Pope has become plainly discernible,  
although the opening session is eight  
days distant.That the question of closer rela-  
tions between the Italian Govern-  
ment and the Vatican dominates the  
discussion is the consensus of opin-  
ion in religious circles and the press.  
That group led by Cardinal Merry  
del Val, it is reported, will have more  
than a majority in the conclave.

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PINE LAWN BANK  
IS ROBBED SECOND  
TIME; LOSS \$2500Two Masked Men, at 9:45  
A. M. Force President  
John B. Elliott and Book-  
keeper to Lie on Floor  
While They Steal All of  
the Cash on Hand.VETERAN SAYS HE  
SAW NEGRO MAJOR  
SHOOT SOLDIERWitness at Senate Inquiry  
Testifies Negro Private  
Had Refused to Help a  
Cook Cut Bread.By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Re-  
suming its inquiry into charges of  
alleged illegal executions of Ameri-  
can soldiers overseas, the special  
Senate investigating committee was  
told by Henry Gentry, negro, of  
Lawrence, Kan., that in France he  
saw Maj. Joseph Phillips of Orange,  
N. J., a negro, shoot William Pat-  
erson, a negro private, for refusing  
to help a cook cut bread.Gentry, who testified while an  
ambulance awaited outside the Sen-  
ate office building to take him to a  
hospital to be operated on for ap-  
pendicitis, said Patterson later died,  
according to general reports, and  
that so far as he knew, the negro  
Major was not tried."Do you know of your own knowl-  
edge that Patterson died?" Gentry  
was asked.  
"No, sir, but he went to the hos-  
pital and never came back."  
The hanging of a negro soldier at  
Belleville, France, was described by  
Col. James P. Barney of the Army  
War College, who said the court-  
martial was composed of seven ne-  
gro and five white officers, with a  
man as judge advocate.The soldier was convicted of as-  
saulting a French woman, 60 years  
old, he said.  
Testimony of Charles P. Green, a  
former service man, previously heard  
by the committee, that nine soldiers  
were shot and killed by the military  
police and taken to Base Hospital  
No. 3 at Chateau Roux, in December,  
1918, was denied by three medical  
officers on duty at the hospital at  
the time. The witnesses, Drs. James  
P. Ewing and Richmond Stephens  
of New York City and Dr. Donald E.  
McKenna of Brooklyn, were positive  
in asserting that no bodies of men  
murdered were sent to the hospital.Reports of Hangings Denied.  
A number of men stationed at Is-  
sur-Tille in 1919 were called to tes-  
tify as to executions at that post  
which were described in newspaper  
showed to have numbered two, but  
some witnesses appearing heretofore  
have placed at about "10 or 12."  
John McDermott of Indianapolis,  
Russell C. Young of Philadelphia,  
James W. Brown of Linnbrook, N. Y.,  
and Walter McAfee of Cooper  
Hill, Tenn., declared only two sol-  
diers were hanged, and all insisted  
they heard no reports of "wholesale  
executions."James W. Lafferty of New York  
City, who, as a Captain in the Quar-  
termasters' Corps was stationed at  
Gieves for nearly two years, testified  
there was only one execution in  
that area as listed by the War De-  
partment. Describing discipline at  
Gieves, as good, Lafferty said there  
was a lot of talk and feeling after  
an assistant secretary of war whom  
he identified as "Mr. Rosenwald,"  
had made a speech there in which  
he asserted that negroes would be  
given better treatment after the  
war."The white troops were so bitter  
about the speech that some of them  
felt like lynching Rosenwald," said  
the witness.  
Members of the committee wanted  
to identify the Assistant Secretary  
of War, described by Lafferty as  
"Rosenwald.""What was his first name?" asked  
the chairman.  
"I think it was Julius," said the  
witness. "He made speeches and  
was represented to be an assistant  
to Mr. Baker.""There was a lot of rowing about  
the speech, but nobody was killed,"  
said Lafferty.  
Gieves Saw Gallows at Gieves.  
P. W. Powers of Red Bank, N. J.,  
a Sergeant storekeeper at Gieves,  
said he never saw a gallows there  
and never heard of an execution. He  
also referred to "Mr. Rosenwald,"  
whom he described as a Chicago  
merchant, working for the Govern-  
ment at \$1 a year."Rosenwald in his speeches to  
the troops said that if they were  
killed they would go to heaven and  
be with Jesus Christ. He said that  
if they were killed they would go to  
heaven and be with Jesus Christ. He  
said that if they were killed they would  
go to heaven and be with Jesus Christ."  
Persons outside the bank saw the  
two men jump into the machine and  
noted that it was a Dodge touring  
car, with the license number 302-466.  
Police records showed that the car  
was the make and license number  
Smith's car, the theft of which he  
reported about 9:40 a. m. Smith said  
he had been told that persons in the  
neighborhood saw two men drive the  
machine away from his garage about  
9:20 a. m., 25 minutes before the  
robbery.Elliott and Otto said both robbers  
wore dark suits and overcoats and  
caps. One was about 5 feet 6 inches  
tall and the other several inches  
taller.

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In CITY Circulation the daily POST-DISPATCH EXCEEDS the daily Globe-Democrat by approximately 50,000, the daily Star by approximately 60,000 and the Times by approximately 100,000



## SIBERIAN QUESTION CLEARED UP AND CONFERENCE NEARS END OF ITS WORK

Virtual Agreement on Naval Fortifications Plan, Japan's Bonin Islands Being Included in Prohibitions; Shantung Railway Issue Nearer Conclusion.

### STATEMENT ON 21 DEMANDS PROMISED

Japanese Believe It Will Clear Up Question; Understanding Reached That 4-Power Treaty Shall Not Apply to Japan's Homeland.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The arms conference appears to be moving rapidly toward conclusion of its work. The Far Eastern Committee, having disposed of the Siberian question, is today winding up lesser problems. The present high speed of activity is regarded by some delegates as clearing the way for final adjournment of the conference possibly within a week.

Consent would have to be given by the Chinese Government for the erection of wireless stations in China under a resolution presented to the Far Eastern Committee today by Eiharu Kato. The resolution, after discussion, was referred to a drafting committee, with a view, it is understood, of consolidating it with other agreements thus far reached on wireless communication in the Far East.

Arrangements have been completed for a meeting late today of the Five-Power Naval Committee of the conference.

21-Demands Statement Coming. The Japanese arms conference delegation is understood today to have completed preparation of a full statement with respect to Japan's position on the request by China for the abrogation of the 21 demands treaty of 1915. The statement is expected to be laid before the Far Eastern Committee of the conference as soon as the Shantung question, now the subject of independent negotiations, is settled.

The Japanese statement, it is understood, will go into the entire question of the 21 demands, with a view to explaining to the conference and the world at large Japan's exact position concerning the treaty. Japanese are said to hold the firm hope that it will clear up the famous 21-demand question in the Far East.

Plenary Sessions Forecast. Belief is expressed in Japanese circles today that two plenary sessions of the conference might be necessary before adjournment, one to report the naval treaty and possibly also the exchange of notes between the signatories of the four-power Pacific treaty, and the other to the Japanese mainland is not to be considered as coming within the scope of that treaty. The second session would be devoted to Far Eastern matters.

Admiral Baron Kato, the ranking member of the Japanese delegation, is anxious to sail on the steamer Kaishima Maru, which is due to leave Feb. 10. If the conference does not adjourn before Feb. 4, it may not be possible for him to leave in time to catch that steamer.

"Special Gratification." Satisfaction is being expressed in both Japanese and American quarters today over the outcome of the Siberian discussions, which ended by adoption in the Far Eastern Committee yesterday of a brief resolution, proposed by Secretary Hughes, providing that the pledges given by Japan as to the policy under which she is retaining troops in Siberia, and the Secretary's statement of the American position on the question, be spread on the conference books.

The Secretary expressed "special gratification" with the Japanese pledge against territory designs in Russia, reiterating the hope of his Government that Japan would find it possible to carry out "in the near future" her expressed intention of withdrawing troops from Siberia.

Settlement of the Pacific fortifications question, by substituting for the British plan of defining a latitude and longitude boundary for the status quo zone, the Japanese suggestion that the islands to which the prohibition against further fortification is to apply be specifically listed, leaves open the question of approval in text by the Japanese Government needed to finally complete the naval treaty. The Japanese agreed that the Japanese Bonin group should be included under the prohibition.

Four-Power Treaty Agreement. Another agreement was reached yesterday reversing the previous informal understanding of the delegates regarding the Pacific four-

## President Harding Opens the Farmers' Congress



Power treaty, and providing that it shall not be construed as applying to the major Japanese islands. The formal agreement took the form of a series of notes, already signed and to be formally exchanged for the record before the Washington conference adjourns.

While the Shantung negotiations were adjourned until tomorrow, there are indications of increasing activity outside to lead in bringing about an agreement on the Tientsin and the railway issue, and a conference of officials in close touch with the compromise effort of the Americans and British has predicted that a settlement is "very near."

Effort in Senate Yesterday to Hasten Shantung Discussions Failed. Efforts yesterday to bring senatorial sentiment to bear to hasten the Shantung negotiations failed after a short debate on the Senate floor. Without a record vote the Senate rejected the resolution of Senator Walsh, Democrat, Montana, asking President Harding for information as to the progress of the exchanges taking place between the Japanese and Chinese.

### PINE LAWN BANK ROBBED OF \$2500 SECOND TIME WITHIN FOUR MONTHS

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Very Victor Massey, proprietor of a roadhouse at the intersection of the Natural Bridge and Florissant roads, Normandy, reported that he saw a machine answering the description of the robbers' car pass by his place going west, and a few minutes later saw it return, eastbound on the Natural Bridge road.

A machine, believed to have been the one used by the robbers, was seen to drive west through Carsonville, and a short time afterward returned through Carsonville. The last report received of the machine was from a point on Natural Bridge road, east of Lucas and Hunt road.

A. T. Zuerhede, watchman for the Goodfellow Lumber Co., said he was on Natural Bridge road, about 50 feet east of the bank, when he saw the robbers' car draw up at a point near, and saw two men get out and go to the bank, followed by the car, which waited outside for them. Zuerhede said he believed, from the movements of the car and the men, that a robbery was being committed, and he said he would have fired his revolver at the machine, but that the driver stuck his head out and gazed at him in a threatening manner. He saw the car leave after the robbery.

Alarmed by Steamtits. In the robbery last September three men, armed but not masked, entered the bank and covered Elliott, Otto and J. W. Hays of Hannibal, Mo., who was visiting Elliott. They took money from the cashier's desk and then ordered Elliott to open the inner door of the vault when noise made by two steamtits at work in the building scared them off. They escaped in an automobile in which a fourth man had been waiting.

44 Below Zero in Maine. PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 25.—The cold wave out of the northeast struck Maine with full force yesterday, forcing thermometers in northern counties to 44 degrees below zero.

## PRIVATE CLAIMS PACT WITH GERMANY LIKELY

Administration Leaders Agree to Negotiate Treaty Creating War Damage Body

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—A new treaty between the United States and Germany to create a commission for arbitration of private damage claims growing out of the world war probably will be negotiated under a decision reported to have been reached last night at a dinner conference at the White House between President Harding, Secretary Hughes and Republican leaders of the Senate and House.

Another new administration policy said to have been agreed upon was for a loan of \$5,000,000 to Liberia.

The Geneva economic conference, the treaties resulting from the armament conference and other international problems, it was said, were not discussed at the conference, which was reported to have been confined to the war claims arbitration and Liberian loan questions.

Negotiations of the proposed arbitration treaty was not definitely decided upon, but President Harding was said to have indicated that the suggestion of a new treaty probably would be adopted.

Other Alternative Discussed. Under the treaty of Berlin, by which the United States concluded peace with Germany, the United States reserves the right with the allies in arbitral commissions already established abroad for the adjudication of war claims. The question of the United States joining in this commission was said to have been thoroughly canvassed by the President and Secretary Hughes and the Senate and House leaders, many of whom are members of the committee dealing with foreign relations.

If America was to participate in the established arbitration commission under the treaty of Versailles, it was said that action within three weeks would be necessary. The question of the United States joining in the Versailles treaty, the consensus of opinion at the conference was said to be that action under the treaty of Berlin would be impracticable.

Secretary Hughes was said to have expressed the opinion, with concurrence of the congressional leaders, that negotiation of a new treaty with the German Government to set up the war claims arbitration commission would be a simple solution. The President took the question under advisement and his visitors said they believed that the new treaty could be promptly negotiated and ratified with little difficulty.

HORSES FAUL BANK ROBBERS. FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., Jan. 25.—Two robbers this morning robbed the Farmers Bank at Park Hill, Okla., near the Arkansas line, of between \$500 and \$600 and escaped on horses, according to a report received here. Several persons in the bank at the time were lined up with the officers and employees, the report said. The robbers took only what money was on the counter.

Messengers from Sheriff George Gourd's posse reported later that a running fight was in progress between officers and the robbers. The robbers were shot from under their horses. The robbers are reported to be surrounded in a thicket about two miles from Park Hill. The Sheriff has about 30 men. Reinforcements are being sent.

## VETERAN SAYS HE SAW MAJOR SHOOT NEGRO SOLDIER

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The troops declared he had messages from State Governors telling him negroes would get a better show after the war, he said. "As he touched on that subject some of the negroes would shout: 'Say that again.'"

During his administration as commander of the military prison at Greaves, Capt. William A. Frecholt of Fort Crook, Neb., testified that guards were given positive orders not to use clubs except in self defense, and that the orders were not violated.

The Rev. Frank M. Kerr, pastor of a Presbyterian church, Hempstead, N. Y., a chaplain overseas, declared there were only two hangings at that post, one of the men hanged, a white man, he said, admitted that he had attempted to attack an 11-year-old girl, but that he did not believe it came within the realm of a capital crime.

A notice sent by the chaplain to the condemned man's brother, set forth that he had been hanged, he said.

Rosenwald Says He Didn't Know. By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—Julius Rosenwald, president of Sears-Roebuck & Co., whose name was brought into the Senate investigation of illegal hangings in France, said today this was the first time he had knowledge of any such feeling as described by witnesses.

"You can say authoritatively I was not lynched," Rosenwald said. "If any of the boys felt that way about my speeches I never knew it."

Rosenwald went to France as a representative of Newton D. Baker, at that time Secretary of War, and spoke to several thousand soldiers during his two months there.

"I did say whenever I had the opportunity that I was sure the soldiers would see to it that the negro would have better treatment after the war because he helped in the fighting," Rosenwald said. "All my speeches were on the subject of making America a better place to live. The negro soldiers were willing to fight and were willing to do any menial task asked of them. Every officer with whom I talked on the subject praised the negroes' willingness to do their part in the war. I never heard any opposition to my statements, although there may have been some from some Southern boys who didn't like to hear the negroes praised."

Four Killed When Car Hits Auto. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 25.—Four persons were killed when a four-car Indianapolis and Cincinnati traction freight train struck an automobile in which they were riding at a crossing here last night. The occupants of the automobile were returning to Indianapolis after a visit with relatives at Gent, Ky.

## MELLON OPPOSES BONUS PLAN AS FUTILE AND UNWISE

Declares in Reply to Fordney Burden of \$850,000,000 in First Two Years Would Fall on Taxpayer.

### PLACES 1922 DEFICIT AT \$24,000,000

Impossible to Set Aside Foreign Debt for It and New Borrowings Would Be Dangerous, He Says.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Congressional leaders preparing to carry out the administration's plan to pull through a soldier's bonus bill are analyzing today the statement of the Treasury's reasons for continued opposition to the bonus as transmitted in a letter from Secretary Mellon to Chairman Fordney of the House Ways and Means Committee.

Despite the obstacles raised by Secretary Mellon to the bonus legislation, the leaders of both branches of Congress are said to be in accord that the bill should be passed before adjournment. There is said to be some sentiment among the leaders to pass a bill granting the bonus and leave over until the next session of Congress provisions for meeting the obligation.

The bonus question was formally presented to the Senate yesterday through the introduction by Senator Simmons, Democrat, North Carolina, of the five-way adjusted compensation plan as an amendment to the pending measure providing for refunding of the war time loans to the allied powers.

Writing to Fordney last yesterday in response to a request for an expression of the department's views, Secretary Mellon declared that any attempt to provide for a bonus through the use of principal and interest of the foreign debt to this country would be futile as well as unwise, and that an attempt to do so through new Government borrowings would be "dangerous in the extreme."

If there is to be a bonus, however, Secretary Mellon said, it must be provided for through taxation, and through taxation in addition to the taxes imposed by existing law. Estimates of Government receipts and expenditures for fiscal years 1922 and 1923 showed there would "more probably" be a deficit than a surplus, he said, and there had been no assurance of such additional expenditure as would be involved in a soldier's bonus for the first two years. On the most conservative estimates, he said, this would probably be not less than \$850,000,000.

Would Fall on Taxpayer. On the other hand, no indirect means of financing the bonus would make it any less an expense to be borne in the long run by the taxpayer, Mellon declared, taking up the proposal to use the foreign debt as a basis for bonus payments.

In view of the depression in the advance of funding arrangements to estimate what may be collected on the foreign debt in the near future by way of principal or interest. The Treasury's estimate of the foreign debt, he declared, was based on the assumption that the foreign debt would be repaid by the foreign government, and that the foreign government would be able to pay the principal and interest of the foreign debt by the sale of direct obligations of the Government.

It would accomplish nothing, Mellon argued, to set aside the foreign debt for the payment of the bonus, even if enough could be realized in time.

"As the law now stands," he said, "and in view of the millions of Liberty bondholders, the Government is bound to apply any principal payments by foreign Governments as well as any proceeds of sale, to the retirement of outstanding Liberty bonds, about \$10,000,000 of which were issued in the first instance to provide for advances to foreign Governments."

Interest collected, he declared, should also go to provide interest on Liberty bonds, so that if the proceeds of the foreign debt were applied to the bonus the Government would, to that extent, have to provide for the principal and interest of Liberty bonds from other sources. This

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## WIRTH TO STAY IN OFFICE; LOAN FOR THE GOVERNMENT

Reichstag Agrees to Tax Compromise as Reparation Solution and Check on Threatened Bankruptcy.

By ARNO DOSCH FLEUROT, A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and the New York World-Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

Copyright, 1922, by the Press and Pulitzer Publishing Co., Inc. The New York World-Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch. Herkules Haus, 13 Frederick Wilhelmstrasse. BERLIN, Jan. 25.—Chancellor Wirth will continue in office, carrying the German program to the Reparations Committee on Friday, with a view to satisfying the public that Germany is trying to check the rush into bankruptcy. After three days of party meetings the Reichstag has agreed to let Wirth remain and compromise on the difficult taxation problem.

It also has agreed that a forced loan to the Government is necessary as the only solution to the difficult problem of balancing the budget. The Chancellor insists it must be a loan with interest, as they declare that otherwise it will mean confiscation, but the Socialists say it should be without interest.

This point, which brings the two strongest opposing parties into a clash, is still unsettled. The weight of public opinion in these circumstances is in favor of the Government until a solution is found is so strong that they must compromise.

It was thought earlier that the paper money tax would balance the books, but as only 20,000,000 paper marks are thus collectible, it would not amount to a drop in the budget. The Chancellor then resorted to a loan and the Socialists renewed their demand for confiscation of a portion of the war increment.

Discussions without interest. German industrial and property owners are going to come to the rescue of the Government so it can balance its books and satisfy the Reparations Committee. They are the more willing to do that because they believe the sharpening of differences between London and Paris will soon radically change the question of payments.

means, he asserted, taxes otherwise unnecessary. Secretary Mellon declared the financial outlook of the Government, Mellon presented detailed figures covering budget estimates which, he said, indicated a deficit of \$24,000,000 for 1922, not allowing for \$50,000,000 requested by the Shipping Board for the payment of claims, \$7,000,000 to be spent for Russia, and \$10,000,000 to be paid to the 1923 installment under the treaty with Colombia. In view of the depression in business, he declared, would require making a total of \$112,000,000, chiefly for 1923.

To overcome these deficits, he explained, expenditures must be reduced in the aggregate by about \$200,000,000 in the next two years, while at the same time the Government faces a heavy shrinkage of receipts. In view of the depression in business, he added, there is grave doubt whether the estimates of receipts which appear in the budget can be realized.

Handling of Public Debt. The overshadowing problem of the Treasury, Mellon declared, was in the handling of the public debt, amounting at the end of the past year to \$23,438,984,351, of which \$6,500,000,000 falls due within the next 18 months. The refunding of this debt, he declared, would require the Treasury's constant attention from now on.

How much additional taxation would be necessary to pay a soldier's bonus, he declared, would be difficult to estimate, but on the basis of the McCumber bill, it would appear that the total cost would be about \$2,300,000,000 of which at least \$850,000,000 would fall due in the first two years of operation and possibly as high as \$1,000,000,000, if an unexpectedly large number of veterans should choose cash. The minimum cost he placed at about \$1,500,000,000, based on cash payments and the maximum at \$2,300,000,000 if all the veterans should take certificates in lieu of cash.

In addition to Relief Fund. The estimates, he added, took no account of the cost of administration and the expenditures involved would be in addition to about \$450,000,000 a year for 1922 and 1923 already estimated for relief of disabled veterans. To discover new taxes that could properly be levied to yield as much as \$850,000,000 within two years, Mellon contended, would be difficult, as the field of taxation has been so thoroughly covered.

"In these circumstances," he said, "should Congress determine to adopt the policy of paying a soldier's bonus, it would be necessary to impose general taxes on broad classes of articles or transactions in order to pay it. For such taxes, in their nature, would be necessary to be paid as substitutes for existing taxes, but the Treasury would hesitate to recommend them as additional taxes, except to meet some extraordinary purpose."

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## LET ARMIES REDUCE ARMIES AND PAY, BORAH BARGES

"It Is Insult to American People to Ask Them to Wait Longer," Idaho Senator Declares.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The allied nations, by revising the treaty of Versailles and reducing their armies "even to a reasonable extent," not only could meet their interest payments on their debt to the United States, but retire part of the principal as well, Senator Borah, Republican, of Idaho, declared today in the Senate. He was discussing the allied debt refunding bill.

"I maintain it is an insult to the American people," Senator Borah said, "to ask them to forego longer the collection of money that will be used for the purposes not only destructive of the peace of Europe, but of the world. Under the present policy and under existing treaties in Europe, no man can tell at what time these nations can begin to pay their interest."

The Idaho Senator added that it was proper for him to "call attention to the fact that so long as the present policies are pursued we are justified in transacting this matter on a purely business basis."

Attack on Versailles Treaty. Senator Borah earlier in his address declared it would be futile to seek a satisfactory adjustment of the foreign debt while the treaty of Versailles "remains the law of Europe." He said the treaty "notwithstanding that we are supposed to have been at peace three years, I venture to say that the human suffering resulting from the carrying out of the Versailles Treaty has been very little less than endured during the war."

"The United States for the last three years," he continued, "has poured millions of dollars into Europe in the form of charity. We have postponed the collection of the interest on the foreign debt and now it is proposed to go further. I venture to say that we could continue to pour the taxpayers' money into Europe without the condition of the masses of Europe being benefited at all by the Versailles Treaty and the kindred treaties remain the law of the land."

France's Demand for Army. Senator Borah continued the argument before the arms conference here by former Premier Briand, that France needed an army of 850,000 or 1,000,000 men to resist the aggression of Germany, whose army had been reduced to 100,000 men. He called attention to an address made to the French Senate by M. Briand last day, in which the latter came to the United States. The former Premier was quoted as saying that since Germany had carried out to the utmost the disarmament demands, France was in a position to say in an effort to destroy Germany. Such destruction, he contended, would severely injure the other nations in Europe. He regarded Germany as the most powerful economic unit in the world in prewar times and deduced that anything which would cause a lower economic standing would serve only to tear down her neighbors.

Reference to Russia. Senator Borah remarked that since Boris Yagoda, director of the G.P.U. at the recent diplomatic reception at the White House, he assumed that M. Bakhmeteff still was in the Russian Embassy in Washington, adding that there was "no likelihood of the social advisers making a mistake in the matter of inviting the

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accredited representatives of foreign Governments." Chairman McCumber said there was no one here now recognized as representing the Russian Government, and explained that M. Bakhmeteff's name might have been written down as it was reached in the diplomatic list.

Senator Ashurst, Democrat, Arizona, ended the discussion by reading from the Congressional Directory the names of the Russian representatives listed under the heading "Embassies and Legations to the United States." The list was headed by M. Bakhmeteff, Ambassador.

Arguing that the refunding of the eleven billions of dollars of foreign debts involved the making of treaties between the United States and the debtor nations, Senator Walsh, Democrat, Montana, said the refunding negotiations could be conducted only by the treaty-making power, the President under the Constitution, he added, Congress could not delegate that authority.

### CONTROVERSY IS BREWING OVER EXECUTIVE POWER

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policy which isn't first approved by the Senate. Whether it would be sufficient to consult the Foreign Relations Committee of the Senate, as in the past, or whether a two-thirds vote must be obtained before any important answer can be given to an inquiring foreign Government, is yet to be determined, but foreign diplomats have for some time been wondering whether it would be practicable to have their credentials changed so that they could be accredited to the Senate as well as the Department of State, and thus present their views directly instead of in the round about way they now must pursue to get a line on senatorial sentiment or to explain their own case on vital questions.

Brundage's Views Given. Senator Brundage's views in a nutshell are these: "I assume that this country cannot do without the consent of Congress (take part in a conference by the results of which it will be bound. I do not consider that the Government of the United States is the President or the Secretary of State, or the President and other members of his Cabinet, or all three of them together."

"When it comes to making contracts with foreign nations, my idea is that the Government of the United States is not bound without the consent of Congress, unless by a treaty, in which case the Government is not bound without the concurring views of the President and two-thirds of the Senate."

"I know there are those who think that, because the contract may commit the country to a foreign policy, the President himself is supreme and can commit this country to foreign policies without the consent of the Senate or Congress. I never have entertained that view and I do not now entertain that view."

"In my view, the President is the executive branch of the Government and his business is to enforce the foreign policies which are determined by the constitutional authorities which can recommend the Government to the President to do this or that. For the President to so manipulate and manipulate things as to get the Government into a position where it could not extricate itself honorably without the Congress agreeing to whatever position the executive might have taken, is a gross abuse of power."

Urges Foreign Credits. Gov. Parker proposed as a means of combating the present farm depression the opening of export markets through extension of long-term credits to foreign buyers through the Federal reserve system.

"Have the Federal reserve bank the Louisiana Governor suggest 'send their own representatives to the capital and purchase our products and unable to pay for the Look up the standing and character of these purchasers as well as of the credit responsibility. Sell them on very short time, not on six, and 18 months, taking their acceptances, with the indorsements of local bank and other institutions each nation."

"Authorize the spinners, manufacturers and dealers to sell their products on equally long time, all draw acceptances and notes in payment be deposited in trust until the close of the Federal Reserve Bank's have been paid."

Gov. Parker told the conferees that this plan "would afford an instant relief, would mean the employment of many American men carrying on their time, and to the value of the merchant man would put energy and spirit in business, and bring to this country the good will of all of the older

Replies to Conference Critics. Gov. Parker departed from notes prepared ahead of time, and prepared a paper in which he set forth his plan in his own words. He added the hope there was no foundation what in the plan.

Gov. Parker declared that he believed the delegates had come to the problems now confronting agriculture.

Delegates expressed keen interest in the subject of commodity financing. The committee on agricultural credits and insurance is expected to make recommendations providing farmers with working capital on terms of equality, with the handling of these funds. Some form of crop insurance is expected.

A member of the Committee on Agricultural Credit and Insurance suggested that a plan of finance probably could be worked out providing for commodity loans, ranging from six months to three years. His proposition would provide the warehousing, grading and inspection of commodities, independent of commodity price press by farmers by their local banks, the handling of these funds through the Federal Farm Loan Bank.

Support of Ford's offer for St. Louis was announced today by a group of editors of agricultural papers attending the conference committee consisting of Carl Llanos, Oklahoma City, chairman; C. Cunningham, Ohio; Herbert C. Massachusetts; Samuel A. Illinois, and Clarence Poe, Carolina, was named to call for rotary weeks in regard to the

## FARM COMMITTEE ASKS FOR REPEAL OF RAIL GUARANTY

Return of Rate Control to State Commissions Also Recommended by Agricultural Conference Group.

### APPROVAL VOTED OF WATERWAY PROJECT

Credit to Foreign Buyers of American Cotton and Food Supplies Urged by Louisiana Governor.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Recommendation for repeal of the commonly known guaranty clause of the transportation act and return to the State Railroad Commission of control over the guaranty clause was 12 to 5 and the return of the State railway powers 11 to 6.

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**Aid to Europe Held Vital.** Participation in the economic rehabilitation of Europe, extension of credit to foreign buyers through the Federal Reserve System and perfection of the co-operative marketing idea were among the remedies for the existing agricultural depression recommended by the speakers before the conference.

The speakers were unanimous in the opinion that sound marketing policy was of equal importance as any governing production policy.

Gov. Parker of Louisiana aroused enthusiasm when he called upon "patriotic Democrats of the South to stand shoulder to shoulder with patriotic Republicans of the North" in the effort to solve the problems before the conference.

M. Anderson of the St. Paul (Minn.) Equity and Co-operative Exchange asserted that only through co-operation with Europe in her effort to recover could American economic difficulties be solved.

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"Have the Federal reserve banks," the Louisiana Governor suggested, "lend their own representatives to the capitals of those European nations desiring to purchase our products and unable to pay for them."

Gov. Parker departed from his prepared address to read a notice of rumors which he said had been heard in some quarters that "this is a hand-picked, cut-and-dried performance." He added the hope that there was no foundation whatever in the rumors.

Gov. Parker declared that he believed the delegates had come to solve intelligently and patriotically the problems now confronting agriculture.

Delegates expressed keen interest in the subject of commodity financing. The committee on agricultural credits and insurance is expected to make recommendations for providing farmers with working capital on terms of equality, with financial aid available to other industries. Some form of crop insurance also is expected.

A member of the Committee on Agricultural Credit and Insurance suggested that a plan of financing probably could be worked out to provide for commodity loans running from six months to three years. His proposition would provide for the warehousing, grading and inspection of commodities, indorsement of commodity paper presented by farmers by their local banks and the handling of this paper through the Federal Farm Loan Bank system.

Support of Ford's offer for Muscle Shoals was announced today by the group of editors of agricultural papers attending the conference. A committee consisting of Carl Williams, Oklahoma City, chairman; J. C. Cunningham, Ohio; Herbert Myers, Massachusetts; Samuel Adams, Illinois; and Clarence Poe, North Carolina, was named by the Secretary to report on the matter.

## Medical Journal Praises St. Louis Campaign to Aid Crippled Children

Editorial Commends Medical Society and Post-Dispatch as Sincere and Philanthropic in Efforts to Relieve Affliction.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—The forthcoming weekly issue of the Journal of the Medical Society will contain the following editorial comment upon the movement of the St. Louis Medical Society to aid all the crippled children in the city and its vicinity of whose existence it can gain information:

"One outcome of the publicity given to the visit of Dr. Adolph Lorenz was the bringing to light, in New York City, of knowledge of a number of crippled children who had received no competent medical attention. The medical profession has always been ready to give its service freely to such unfortunate children, but through ignorance of our language, neglect on the part of parents or for other reasons, many of these patients have not made use of the means available for their cure or relief."

"Realizing these facts, the St. Louis Medical Society this winter undertook a campaign to bring the crippled of St. Louis to medical attention and to provide them such aid as modern medical science affords. A newspaper (the Post-Dispatch) co-operated with the medical society. The society called for a survey of the crippled children in St. Louis and an investigation of the facilities for their treatment and care. The committee on Public Health was instructed to use every means available to acquaint the community with these facilities. A bulletin was prepared for publication. The invitation to use this service was printed in English, Italian, Polish and Russian. The campaign has continued over several weeks and numerous names of crippled children have been listed for attention."

"Immediately following receipt of the name of a crippled child, its home is visited by an investigator, for it was definitely stated that free service would be available only to those unable to pay for proper care. It was soon found that replies were being received from the districts surrounding St. Louis. The Board of Education discovered that many crippled children are not receiving proper education through lack of facilities for transportation. The Municipal Nurses' Association voted to participate in the movement and to aid in the survey."

"Recently the Jackson County Medical Society announced its purpose to follow the same plan in Kansas City, and within 10 days the Board of Health, in a letter to the State Board of Health, commended the campaign and urged that it be made State-wide. It is a commendable and sincere effort, surely to utilize the advantages of publicity for aiding the crippled children of the community. It is a form of effort which, since time immemorial, the medical profession has been wont to conduct quietly and unostentatiously. It is now proved that a considerable foreign element in our community which was not being reached through regular channels can be reached to some extent through newspaper publicity methods. The medical profession of Missouri is to be commended on its sincerity of purpose and on the manner in which it has attacked the problem. Let it be remembered, however, that the publicity is being used in searching out patients who need treatment, that the effort is wholly philanthropic and not a matter of personal aggrandizement. The newspaper gives the space, and the physicians give the services."

## POPE'S FUNERAL AT 3 P. M. TOMORROW; TOMB NEXT TO QUEEN'S

Continued From Page One. They favor absolute separation of the state and church. The so-called "Peace Party," of which Cardinal Maffei is head, represents perhaps a little more than one-third the votes, while the Center, the best known of the Catholic groups, is headed by Maffei's ally, Cardinal Gasparri, favoring continuance of the policy of Pope Benedict, is fewer in number. A two-thirds vote is necessary for the election of a Pontiff.

The official acts of the Italian Government after the announcement of the death of Benedict, for the purpose of the whole Italian nation, are noted with great satisfaction by the Vatican officials. There is a report that the opening of the chamber, which coincides with the date of the opening of the conclave, may be postponed.

**Six Cardinals Past 80.** The question whether the Pope will be chosen from among the older generation of Cardinals or the younger element also is prominent. The Sacred College is composed of six Cardinals between the ages of 80 and 90; 19 between 70 and 80; 23 between 60 and 70, and 14 between 50 and 60.

Among the Cardinals prominently mentioned as the successor to the throne of St. Peter, none has reached the age of 70. Cardinal Maffei is 64, Cardinal Ratti, 65; Cardinal Lafontaine, 62, and Cardinal Laurenti, 58.

The disappearance from the scene of the Austrian Ambassador will be another feature of the coming conclave. Austria, from time immemorial, claimed, and in 1903 exercised against Rimpollia, the right of veto. France, Spain and Austria at various occasions claimed the right to veto the Cardinals' choice for Pope through their Ambassador's notification that the elected Pope was persona non grata. The right of veto was officially abolished by Pope Pius X.

**Telegrams by Thousands.** The Government Gazette publishes the death of Benedict XV and then the death of the Cardinal Almoner, emphasizing that the law of guarantees will be rigidly enforced. Telegrams, which already number several thousands, continue to pour into the Vatican, expressing grief at the death of the Pope. Among them are messages from President Harding and Premier Lloyd George.

An inventory of the moneys found in Benedict's private treasury disclosed the fact that the Pope had only about 700,000 lire (nominally less than \$140,000), when from two to three million lire was expected.

**Spanish Cardinal's Death Reduces to 29.** WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—As a result of the death of Cardinal Almoner, Spain, it is said today, the non-Italian Cardinals who will enter the next conclave will be reduced to 29, as against 31 Italian.

It is considered probable here that Cardinal O'Connell, who is said to belong to the group supporting the election of Cardinal Merry del Val, will not arrive before the proclamation of the new Pope, nor will Cardinal Dougherty of Philadelphia.

**SKETCH OF QUEEN BESIDE WHOSE BODY POPE WILL BE BURIED** Christina Alexandra, Queen of Sweden, beside whose body that of Pope Benedict will rest in the crypt of St. Peter's, was a bundle of contradictions who gave Europe a lot

to talk about during her active life. She was the daughter of Gustavus Adolphus II, a harsh enemy of Catholicism, and Marie Eleonor of Brandenburg. Her mother had been hoping for a boy, but when Christina turned out to be the other way, her mother conceived a dislike for the child, which resulted in her being reared by nurses.

Her father was very fond of her, though he, too, had wanted a son. He died the next best and had Christina brought up like a boy, and as she grew up her father's affection for her grew stronger.

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Ninety-Two Passed Before Board Yesterday, Bringing Total to 193—About 60 to Be Received Today.

## MANY CASES MARKED AS PROBABLE "CURES"

Physicians Estimate Approximately Two-Thirds of Applicants Can Be Improved by Treatment.

The examinations of crippled children, which began Monday at the St. Louis Medical Society, 3525 Pine street, are being concluded today.

Within the next few days the Public Health and Instruction Committee of the society, which collected the names and directed the examinations, will review the records and assign those children who offer opportunity for improvement, however slight, to the various orthopedic clinics and hospitals best suited to their individual needs. This treatment will be provided free for as long a period as may appear necessary to effect maximum improvement.

Ninety of the 100 St. Louis children instructed to present themselves for examinations yesterday passed before the examining orthopedic surgeons, pediatricians and neurologists. In addition, two children from out of town appeared.

The total number of children so far examined is 193, of whom 50 were from outside the city in neighboring towns of Missouri and Illinois.

About 60 received today. The approximate number for examination today is 60. Automobile Club members delivered these children at the society's building, as passed by nurses.

Although only 40 examinations were scheduled for the forenoon, 52 children had been brought to the society by 11 a. m. There was a large number of telephone and personal calls, by persons who wanted to arrange for examinations.

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## SECOND PROGRAM TO BE SATURDAY, FEB. 4

Pupils of the White Schools, Public, Private and Parochial, Eligible to Attend Performance.

Tickets for the second of the Post-Dispatch free children's concerts, by the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra, will be distributed Saturday afternoon from 2 to 3 o'clock, at 19 drug stores in various parts of the city. The concert will be given the following Saturday morning, Feb. 4, in the Missouri Theatre, Grand and Lucas avenues, beginning at 10:30.

The places of distribution are the same as those where tickets for the first concert were given out, except that one location has been changed and two have been added to the former list. The revised list is:

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## PONTIFICAL REQUIEM MASS FOR POPE AT CATHEDRAL MONDAY

Archbishop Glennon Will Be Celebrant in 9:30 A. M. Ceremony—Mass at College Church.

The principal observance of the Catholic church here, in honor of Pope Benedict XV, will be a solemn pontifical requiem mass in the Cathedral next Monday morning, beginning at 9:30.

Archbishop Glennon will celebrate the mass, and will give the absolution at the catafalque. The mass will be sung by the students of Kenrick Seminary. The Rev. Dr. C. M. Ryan, head of Kenrick Seminary, will be assistant priest in the mass. The full list of priests to take part in the ceremony will be announced later.

In the announcement of the mass, Archbishop Glennon stated that special altar reservations will be made for representatives of the city, State or foreign countries, and that such official representatives desiring to attend the services should send notification in advance to the rector of the Cathedral, the Rev. Father Francis Gillilan.

The solemn requiem mass, celebrated this morning in St. Francis Xavier's Church, was largely attended. Archbishop Glennon presided, and the students of the college sang the mass. The Rev. Francis X. McMenamy, Provincial of the Society of Jesus, was celebrant. The Rev. Joseph M. Murphy, S. J., one of the oldest members of the faculty of St. Louis University, preached the sermon.

## MIAMI BEACH'S NEGRO ORCHESTRA BEATEN, ORDERED TO QUIT TOWN

Members Later Escorted to Train by Police—Attackers Said to Have Numbered 75.

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 25.—Guarded by an escort of motorcycle police, the six members of a negro orchestra engaged by one of the largest tourists' hotels in Miami were early today taken to a northern suburb and placed on board a train bound for Columbus, O., the home of the negroes.

The musicians were shortly after midnight lured to the outskirts of the city and beaten by a gang of men which they said numbered 75 and were warned to leave Miami within 24 hours. Some of their instruments were destroyed.

Complaints had been made to the police of the act of the negroes. It was reported that they had not conducted themselves in accordance with Southern customs, had sought to mingle with white people in the public parks and at public entertainments and that the leader of the orchestra had on one occasion left his place with the orchestra and stepped on the floor to direct a new dance.

The incident was telegraphed to a white orchestra to take the places of the negro organization.

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## BIDS FOR SPRINKLING STREETS HIGHER THAN LAST YEAR

No One at City Hall Able to Explain Increase of \$75 Per Mile.

No explanation could be obtained at the city hall today as to why the cost of sprinkling the streets, as forecast by bids for 1922, opened by the Board of Public Service yesterday, should be \$75.25 a mile higher this year than last. The cost decreased last year from 1920 to 1921, and Street Commissioner Slater hazarded the opinion that the bids are nearer to normal this year, having been low last year in an alleged effort by sprinkling contractors to keep some concern from getting in on the work.

Figures of the Supply Commission's office show that the city is paying approximately 33 per cent less now than a year ago for horse feed and gasoline, which are some of the principal costs of street sprinkling.

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## GAS QUESTION BEFORE SERVICE COMMISSION

George B. Evans, General Manager of Laclede Co., Testifies as to Heat Content.

The State Public Service Commission began a hearing today at the City Hall on the application of the Laclede Gas Co. for permission to decrease the heat content of its gas from 600 to 570 British thermal units.

The company had on hand an array of experts by whom it expects to show that it can save money and at the same time serve consumers better by lowering the standard of its product.

After Daniel G. Taylor, counsel for the company, had outlined what the experts would testify to, City Commissioner Caulfield called the commission's attention to the disadvantage to the city was under in not being able to hire experts. He contended that the company wanted to lower the quality of its gas to increase its revenue. If the company needed relief, he said, it would be far better for the commission to permit increased rates than to permit impaired quality, but he pointed out that the company could not be in such a bad way "after saving hundreds of thousands of dollars on the iniquitous coal question of 1921."

**Laclede Official on Stand.** George B. Evans, vice president and general manager and chief engineer of the Laclede company, testified that in other states the heat content was as low as 525 units and predicted that it would ultimately reach that in St. Louis. Under the lower standard, he said, gas could be more evenly distributed and at less expense. Under the 600-unit requirement, only part of the gas produced at the company's coke plant could be used for city distribution. To raise it to the 600-unit standard it was necessary to add oil, which caused fluctuation in quality.

On cross-examination Evans admitted that the market price for coal this year is much less than the contract price last year, but when asked if the difference would amount to as much as \$40,000 he said he did not know. He admitted that about \$50,000 would be saved by the removal of the 10 per cent Government tax.

Company to See Letters. Caulfield said he had a lot of letters which showed that the change was decidedly appreciable when the standard recently was lowered temporarily as a test. Judge Taylor said if the letters were to be introduced

## MAN ASPHYXIATED IN ROOM WHERE CORN MASH IS FOUND

Still Is Discovered in Adjoining Room Hidden Under Bed Clothes.

Michael Jurka, 33 years old, ran into the Souldard Street Police Station at 8 a. m. today and said something was wrong in the two rooms occupied by himself and Paul Kedro, 35, on the third floor at 1847 Mendota street. An officer went with him and in one of the rooms they found Kedro sitting in a chair dead, with gas flowing from eight burners of a stove.

The policeman had the body removed and then discovered, in the room in which Kedro had died, 10 gallons of corn mash. In the adjoining room, hidden under bed clothes, was a still of 10-gallon capacity. Jurka was arrested. He denied knowing anything about the still. He said Kedro had been out of work several months and that he had a wife and five children whom about six months ago he sent back to their old home in Central Europe.

The company wanted the privilege of examining them and he was informed that it would have that privilege.

Evans testified that the company was paying 5 cents a gallon for gas. He admitted that the new rates for gas were based on an estimate of 10 cents a gallon.

Asked about decreased wages, he said there was a reduction of 1 per cent in the manufacturing and electrical generating departments and on Oct. 15 a flat reduction of 10 per cent was made on all employees. The payroll last year, he said, was \$1,500,000. Asked if the wage reduction would not save the company \$150,000, he said it would if the payroll was as large this year as last. He said that, although the company estimated that it needed \$1.25 per 1000 cubic feet, when the last advance was allowed, it was permitted to charge only \$1.05.

Henry C. Wehnert, superintendent of the manufacturing department, testified that, based on the operation of 1921, the lowering of the heat content to 570 would save the company between \$47,000 and \$59,000, depending upon the method of manufacture. The saving would be effected through avoiding the necessity of bringing the gas up to the 600 standard by the use of oil.

Several applications for changes in rates are under the Commission's consideration. On Judge Taylor's announcement of acceptance of City Commissioner Caulfield's suggestion that the company be permitted to charge for installation, 75 cents per lineal foot for 1 1/2 inch pipe, \$1 for 2-inch pipe and \$1.25 for 2 1/2 inch and larger, the Commission gave its approval.

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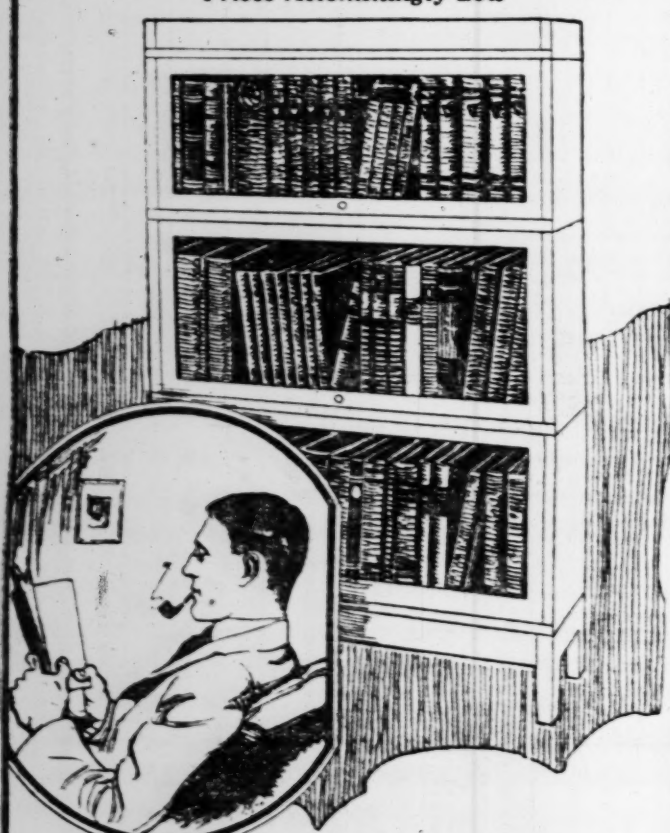
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liver  
act  
right

A disordered liver throws the whole system wrong and affects the health generally. Beecham's Pills act directly on the liver, cleanse and strengthen the stomach, regulate the bowels, remove all impurities from the system, and make you fit and well. You can have a healthy body, strong nervous system, bright eyes and clear complexion if you

**Beecham's Pills**

Sold everywhere in boxes

10c-12 pills  
25c-40 pills  
50c-90 pills

**WATERBUGS**  
The nastiest species of the cockroach family, and other cockroaches cleaned out with  
**GETZ COCKROACH POWDER**  
MADE AND SOLD BY  
**W. D. HUSSUNG**  
1139 Pine Street  
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Cockroaches taken to clean out Cockroaches, Bed Bugs, Rats and Mice.

You'd Be Working  
Today, if You Had Taken  
**BELLOPIN**  
Laxative Cold Tablets  
YESTERDAY!!  
Cleanses bowels thoroughly, and cures cold in ONE DAY.  
For Sale at Best Drug Stores

## WOMAN KILLED BY FALL FROM HOSPITAL WINDOW

Mrs. Philip J. Schmidt's Neck  
Broken in Plunge From  
Second Floor.

Mrs. Philip J. Schmidt, 43 years old, of 4011A Gravois avenue, died at St. Anthony's Hospital from a fractured neck suffered in leaping or falling from a window on the second floor of the hospital at 2:30 a. m. yesterday.

Policemen reported Mrs. Schmidt had undergone an operation at the hospital a few days ago. At 2:25 a. m. yesterday, Sister Silvia administered to the patient, gave her a drink and left the room. Five minutes later a physician entering the room found the window open and a chair pulled over to the radiator beside the window. Mrs. Schmidt was found in the front yard below the window, a fall of about 25 feet. She was unconscious and lived only a short time after being taken back into the institution.

## 2 WOMEN HURT IN AUTO CRASH

Machine Driven by One of Them Collides With Police Patrol.

Mrs. George J. Wunderlich, 53 years old, of 4559 Holly avenue, suffered scalp wounds and injuries to her right side, and her daughter, Mrs. Fred Helzinger, was bruised, at 2 p. m. yesterday, when an automobile driven by Mrs. Helzinger was overturned in collision with a police automobile patrol wagon at Angelica street and North Florissant avenue. Jacob Simkowitz, 30, of 2429 Bacon street, suffered an injury to the skull, a fractured shoulder and scalp wounds when knocked down by an automobile driven by Fernie Spears of 4435 Penrose street, chauffeur for a dairy, as Simkowitz crossed the street in front of 1913 O'Fallon street.

## FALLS IN TUB OF HOT WATER

Baby Scalded While Mother Is Washing at Home.

Margaret Harkins, 19-months-old daughter of George and Mabel Harkins of 2112 De Kalb street, was scalded yesterday when she fell backward into a tub of hot water on the floor of the kitchen at her home.

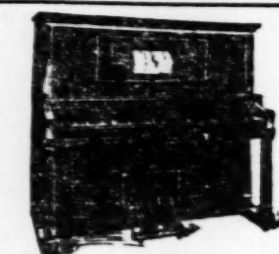
The baby was taken to the city hospital. The mother told the police she had been washing and placed the tub on the floor while she put another pan on the stove. While her back was turned the child toddled backwards and tripped into the tub.

## PARCEL POST SERVICE SHAVED

Western Narrow-Gauge Road Cuts Schedule to Three Days.

By the Associated Press.  
RENO, Nev., Jan. 25.—Residents of Eureka, Nev., must use express service instead of parcel post if they want daily train service, according to an advertisement published yesterday in a Eureka newspaper and signed by John E. Sexton, general manager of the parcel post. The train will be run only three days a week.

The Eureka, Nev., railway operates between Eureka, Nev., and Eureka, 85 miles, and is a narrow-gauge road.



This High-Grade  
88-Note  
Player-Piano  
for sale for

**\$235**

THIS IS A WEBER PLAYER-PIANO. It has been used, but is in perfect condition. We guarantee it thoroughly. 25 rolls of music and bench goes with it.

Easy Payments

**WURLITZER**

1006 Olive St.

Between 10th and 11th Streets

IF YOU HAD A  
NECK  
AS LONG AS THIS FELLOW,  
SORE THROAT  
ALL THE WAY  
DOWN  
**TONSILINE**  
SHOULD QUICKLY RELIEVE IT  
Be and see. (Horse) at 1111  
ALL DRUGGISTS

# STIX. BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

See Our Other Advertisement on Page 5

## Final Reductions on Women's Coats



**\$15 \$35 \$50**

A RE-GROUPING, which had no regard for former markings, presents some of the handsomest Wraps in the section at these prices.

Clearing the space for incoming stock is our dominant desire. Those who come to purchase now will profit in no small degree.

The luxurious soft materials, so popular, are much in evidence. Most of the models are additionally desirable because of fur trimmings.

All sizes are in the group, but Coats of such splendid qualities at such remarkably low prices will not linger long—so we devise early shopping.

(Third Floor.)

## Bedding Day

### In the February Sale of Furniture

A VERY fortunate purchase brings these desirable wood-finished steel Beds to us. The purchase price was such that we are enabled to sell them at very substantial savings over original prices. Compare these Beds with any other make and you will agree with us that they are far superior to any other on the market. The usual finishes and sizes may be had at price quoted. Convenient payment plan may be arranged if desired.

#### Quaint Four-Post Beds

4 foot 6-size \$39.75  
3 foot 3-size \$27.50  
An unusual value in a Bed of great popularity. It is in finished satin dull mahogany.

Made to Order Box Springs, \$24.50  
All hand-tied, long standard oil-tempered springs; layer felt top and covered in leather-proof A. C. A. or Art ticking.

#### Handy Auto Crib, \$5.98

An exceptionally good value. These Cribs mean comfort for the baby and convenience for the mother. They are built of steel tubing, beautifully white enameled and are fitted with 10-inch rubber-tired ball-bearing wheels; noiseless and smooth running. The springs are link fabric with 12 steel helicals.

Ivory Finish Crib with cane panel ends; drop-side construction; good quality link springs; size 26x46. \$20.75

Child's Crib (as illustrated) in white enamel or Vernis Martin finish, with drop-side construction, provided with good quality link springs. \$7.98

Steel Bed in the Vernis Martin finish; 5 fillers in head and footboards; full size. Specially priced. \$9.45

#### Simmons Steel Beds

Simmons Steel Bed in the brown mahogany finish; square tubing, in the full size. Specially priced. \$29.75

Simmons Steel Bed; in ivory finish, with square tubing; equipped with good quality link springs. Specially priced. \$24.50

Simmons Steel Bed, with cane panel front and head boards, in the Vernis Martin finish. Specially priced. \$22.75

Brass Bed in the satin band finish; 2-inch posts and heavy 2-inch fillers; full size only; priced. \$39.75

#### Felt Mattresses

Biltmore Mattresses, weigh 45 pounds; good grade of fancy art ticking. \$17.95

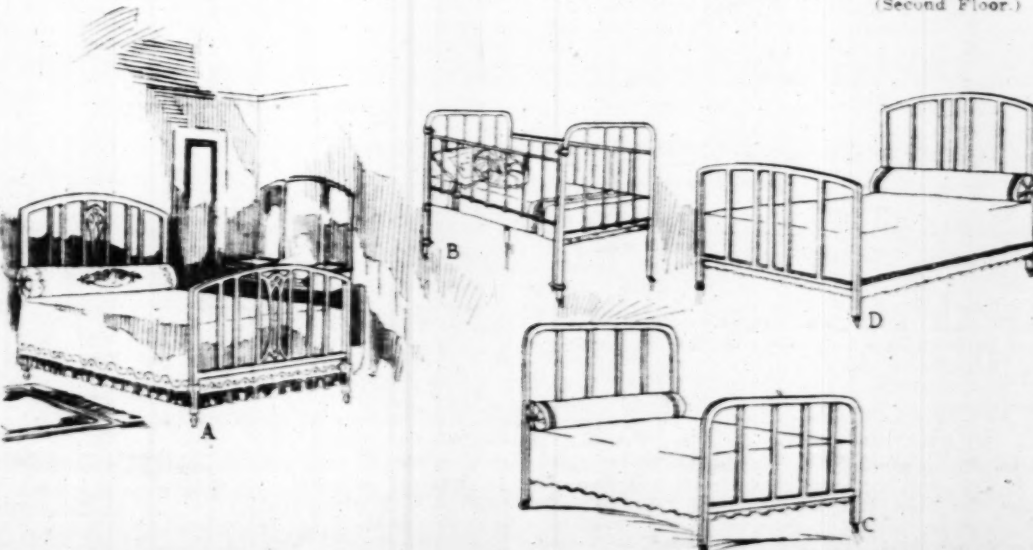
#### Earl Brand Mattresses

Earl Brand Stearns & Foster quality felt Mattresses, with roll edge and fancy art ticking; weighs 45 pounds. \$12.50

Stearns & Foster Anchor Brand Felt Mattress in fancy art ticking and roll edge; weighs 50 pounds. Priced. \$15.75

#### As Illustrated in Group Cut

Style "A," very specially priced \$24.75  
Style "B," very specially priced \$7.98  
Style "C," very specially priced \$15.75  
Style "D," very specially priced \$21.75  
Other designs of limited quantities are specially priced \$26.75 and \$29.75 (Second Floor.)



## Main Floor Specials!

### Vanity Boxes, \$2.00

Large swaggy vanity boxes with two handles; brown tooled leather, in attractive design. Fitted with large mirror, lined in color to match; coin purse and several toilet accessories also included. Unusual values. (Main Floor.)

### Men's Mufflers, 89c

Imported Knitted Mufflers of fibre and cotton, in solid gray, black and white and in striped designs. Finished with long fringe. Several widths. (Main Floor.)

### Toilet Articles

Odd lot of Perfumes, Nail Paste, Nail Powders, Lip Sticks and Nail Sticks, each  
Peet Bros. Creme Oil Toilet Soap (limit, 1 dozen), cake, 7c (Main Floor.)

### Silk Stockings, 89c Pair

Black, white and colored Silk Stockings, full-fashioned, with little garter tops. Slight irregulars. (On Thrift Avenue.)

### Krinkle Dimity Bedspreads, \$2.95

Special lot of 85 scalloped, cut-corner Krinkle Dimity Bedspreads, showing attractive stripes in pink, blue or yellow. For full-size beds—81x99 inches. (On Thrift Avenue.)

### Corsets, \$1.45

Front and back lace models, in pink brocade, and pink or white coutil; cut with low bust. Rustproof boning. All sizes. (Square 2—Main Floor.)

### New Gingham Dresses, \$1.98

A wonderful lot, in Spring models; made of good quality gingham, in several pretty styles, all attractively trimmed. In desirable colors, well finished. Sizes 36 to 46. (On Thrift Avenue.)

### Infants' Dresses, 50c

Long and short Dresses of fine nainsook, with yokes attractively trimmed with dainty laces and embroidery. Sizes up to 2 years. (On Thrift Avenue.)

### Lace, Net and Chiffon Remnants, 25c 50c \$1.00 \$2.00

Hundreds of remnants of every imaginable kind, in lengths suitable for all trimming purposes; ranging from narrow edgings and bands to wide flounces and all-overs. (Square 3—Main Floor.)

### Dress Trimmings, \$1.25 Yard

An assortment including medium and wide bands in sequins, beads, and embroidered effects; black and colored. (Main Floor.)

### Muslin Underwear, 75c

Included are Gowns, Envelopes, Corset Covers, Bloomers and Drawers, made of nainsook in tailored or lace and embroidery trimmed models. Some shown in flesh color. Many styles at this special price. (Square 14—Main Floor.)

### Japanese Plum Blossoms, 15c Each

Made of Japanese Art Linen, stems finished in gray bark effect, with large pink blossoms. 100 dozen offered at this low price. (Square 14—Main Floor.)

### Aluminum Roasters, 89c

Made of heavy quality aluminum, in large round shape, with side handles and self-basting cover. 11-inch diameter. (On Thrift Avenue.)

## Coffee, 29c Pound

Leader brand Coffee, special blend of high-grade steel cut Coffee; new quality; sold regularly in Bakery Section. In one-pound cartons. (Downstairs Store.)

# "SAV"

## What Is Sav

IT is a Downstairs monthly event, with desirable merchandise at reduced prices.

And each monthly more convincing proof of our patrons' sharing the savings.

This announcement carries word of so too important to be over.

As the quantities are limited, we suggest we, of course, reserve buying quantities.

No Mail or Phone

## 36-Inch Ho

Very Special, 12

SOFT-FINISHED, bleached weight for general home use

## Outing Flannelette

At 10c Yard

Soft-fleeced, light colored striped Outing Flannelette, for pajamas, underwear, etc. Yard wide.

## 54-Inch Wood

For Savings Day,

FINE wool-mixed Coatings, suitable for children's wear. Good

Wool Suitings, \$1.39 Yd.

All-wool, in stripes and checks; for women's and misses' skirts, suits and dresses. 54 in. wide.

Wool Dress Goods

Assorted fabrics, including serge. Plenty of navy blue. 40 to 44 in.

## Men's Flanne



## Flannel Shirts, 79c

420 men's Domet Flannel Shirts, made with two pockets; in gray, navy and brown; sizes 34 to 46 1/2.

## 9000 Pairs

For Children,

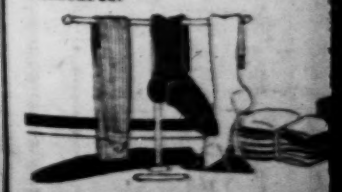
RIBBED Stockings in heel and toe; slight second not in each color. 2400 pairs.

For Women, 29c a Pair

1200 pairs of Fiber Silk Stockings, semi-fashioned, with little garter tops; black only; double spliced heels, soles and toes. Slightly irregular.

## At 49c Pair

Women's ribbed Sport Hose, wool-mixed; reinforced at heels and toes. Various mixtures.





**Coffee, 29c Pound**

Leader brand Coffee, special blend of high-grade steel cut Coffee, new quality, sold regularly in Bakery Section. In one-pound cartons. (Downstairs Store.)

# STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

Charlotte Russe, 6 for 43c  
Fresh Sponge Fingers, filled with whipped cream, and topped with a bright red cherry. (Downstairs Store.)

## "SAVINGS DAY"—DOWNSTAIRS STORE

### What Is Savings Day?

IT is a Downstairs Store feature—a monthly event, when seasonal and desirable merchandise is offered at greatly reduced prices.

And each monthly recurrence brings more convincing proof to a greater number of our patrons the advisability of sharing the savings that are presented.

This announcement for tomorrow's selling carries word of saving opportunities too important to be overlooked.

As the quantities on some of the items are limited, we suggest early shopping. We, of course, reserve the right to limit buying quantities.

No Mail or Phone Orders Filled

### 36-Inch Hope Muslin

Very Special, **12½c a Yard**

SOFT-FINISHED, bleached Hope Muslin, the correct weight for general home use. Yard wide.

Outing Flannelette **At 10c Yard**  
Unbleached Muslin **At 10c Yard**

Soft-fleeced, light colored striped Outing Flannelette, for pajamas, underwear, etc. Yard wide.  
Good, heavy weight. Unbleached Muslin (will bleach easily). Yard wide. (Downstairs Store.)

### 54-Inch Woolen Suitings

For Savings Day, **69c Yard**

FINE wool-mixed Coatings, in dark colors, especially desirable for children's wear. Good weight, in 54-inch width.

Wool Suitings, \$1.39 Yd. **Wool Coatings, 98c Yard**  
All-wool, in stripes and checks; for women's and misses' skirts, suits and dresses. 54 in. wide. Excellent quality, in different colored designs; good weight; 50 inches wide.

Wool Dress Goods, 98c Yard  
Assorted fabrics, including serges, poplins, etc., of all-wool quality. Plenty of navy blue. 40 to 44 inch widths. (Downstairs Store.)

### Men's Flannelette Pajamas

**At 59c**

THESE are made of good quality outing flannel, in dark patterns. There is only a limited quantity to offer at this unusually low price. All sizes.

Men's Union Suits, 89c  
600 ribbed cotton Suits in ankle length, with long sleeves; ecru, gray and mottled colors.

Flannel Shirts, 79c  
420 men's Domet Flannel Shirts, made with two pockets; in gray, navy and brown; sizes 14 to 16½.  
Men's Shirts, 59c  
Striped French Flannel Shirts, a cotton fabric that looks like wool; made with pockets; all sizes. (Downstairs Store.)

### 9000 Pairs of Hosiery

For Children, **9c a Pair**

RIBBED Stockings in black or white, reinforced at heel and toe; slight seconds. Sizes 5 to 9½ in the lot, but not in each color. 2400 pairs.

For Women, 29c a Pair  
1200 pairs of Fiber Silk Stockings, semi-fashioned, with little garter tops; black only; double spliced heels, soles and toes. Slightly irregular.  
For Men, 15c a Pair  
1200 pairs of men's combed cotton Socks in gray, brown, white, navy and black. Reinforced at heels and toes; flexible ribbed tops. 6 pairs, 45c.  
At 29c a Pair  
1200 pairs of men's thread silk Socks in black and brown, with double soles and high spliced heels. Ribbed tops. First quality.

At 49c Pair  
Women's ribbed Sports Hose, wool-mixed; reinforced at heels and toes. Various mixtures.



### P. & G. Soap

10 Bars, 48c  
The new large size bars of White Naphtha Laundry Soap, made by Procter & Gamble. Limit to bars. (Downstairs Store.)

### Crochet Cotton

3 Balls, 20c  
The popular O. N. T. Crochet Cotton, in white and ecru; best quality mercerized thread. Limit, 1 dozen. Ball, 7c. (Downstairs Store.)

### Brassieres

At 59c  
Specially purchased lot of De Bevoise and Bien Jolie Brassieres; two splendid makes, in lace and embroidery trimmed models with satin ribbon shoulder straps. Sizes 36 to 44. (Downstairs Store.)

### Men's Hdkfs.

5c Each  
Offering 200 dozen Handkerchiefs of good quality cambric; neatly hemstitched; Longfellow initials embroidered in white or colors. (Downstairs Store.)

### Corsets

At 95c  
Front lace Corsets in well-known "Thomson" Glove Fitting make; made of white coutil, in style for medium figures; sizes 21 to 27; four hose supporters attached.

At \$1.39  
Discontinued number of Warner's Front Lace Corsets; made of pink coutil. Sizes 20, 21 and 22 only.

### Val. Laces

6 Yards, 15c  
Hundreds of dozens of Val. Laces in round and diamond meshes; dainty patterns, many in matched sets; put up in 6-yard lengths.

### Torchon Laces

At 5c Yard  
Wide Torchon Laces, ranging up to 3 inches in width; attractive patterns; for curtains, fancy work, etc.

### Platte Val. Laces

At 9c Yard  
Hundreds of dozens of these fine Val. Laces and Insertions in scores of dainty designs; various meshes, widths up to 3 inches; white only. (Downstairs Store.)

### Handkerchiefs

25c Dozen  
Women's plain lawn Handkerchiefs; full size; nicely hemstitched. (Downstairs Store.)

### Trimmed Hats

New Spring Styles, **\$1.95**



MANUFACTURERS' samples make up this group of smart new Spring Millinery. Visca, tuscana and iridescent cellophane braids, also combined with taffeta and faille silk. All prettily trimmed with flowers, pins, ribbons and novelties. All desirable shapes—turbans, hoods, sailors, off-the-face Hats, and others, in a large assortment of colors. A rare saving opportunity. Only 225 in the lot, so early shopping is advised.

### Buckram Hat Shapes, 25c

Authentic styles for Spring, in best quality buckram, rice cloth and willow. Large assortment for selection. (Downstairs Store.)

### 2000 Percale Aprons

For Savings Day, **69c**

THESE splendid Aprons are made of percale in pretty stripes, figures and checks, in a dozen different models. Trimmed with ruffles, piping, sashes and pockets. All are cut full and well made.

A special purchase enables us to offer these at such an extremely low price. (Downstairs Store.)



### Save on Footwear

1000 Pairs for Women, **89c Pair**  
200 Pairs for Children, **89c Pair**

WE offer remarkable values in women's High Shoes, in this Savings Day group. They are all fine quality, and offer a good selection of sizes and styles.

The misses' and children's Shoes offered at this price come in lace and button styles, in black. They are good quality.

### Felt Slippers, 49c Pair

About 500 pairs of women's and children's Felt Slippers, of good quality; marked for quick disposal. (Downstairs Store.)

### Children's Sample Rompers

For Savings Day, **69c**

WE offer 300 Rompers of chambray and percale, in solid colors and checks, some with white waists. Come in peg top style, with pockets. This limited quantity, in 2 to 6 year sizes.

Children's Play Suits, 95c  
Heavy quality gingham, in stripes and plain combinations, and in solid colors. Long and short sleeved styles, in 2 to 6 year sizes; for boys or girls.  
Women's Gowns at 79c  
Sample Gowns of Amoskeag flannelette, in stripes; trimmed with wash braid and ribbon; some slightly soiled. Remarkable values. (Downstairs Store.)

### Misses' Union Suits

Sizes to 14—**at 69c**

SEVERAL styles—high neck and long sleeves, or Dutch neck and elbow sleeves. All made ankle length. Drop seat closings. Sizes to 14 years.

Boys' Union Suits, 59c  
Fleeced ribbed Suits in gray; made ankle length, with high neck and long sleeves. Open seat style. Sizes to 12 years.  
Women's Suits, 75c  
High neck, long sleeve, ankle length style, in medium weight fleeced. Good size assortment. (Downstairs Store.)

### King's Thread

12 Spools, 25c  
These are 100-yard spools, in black or white. Limited quantity to sell at this Savings Day price. (Downstairs Store.)

### Notions

Scissors and Shears, assorted lengths, pair, 19c  
Darning Cotton, black and colors, 5 spools, 10c  
Hand Scrubs, assorted, each, 5c  
Hairpin Cabinets, each, 3c  
Safety Pins, three sizes, six cards, 15c  
Dress Shields, good quality, pair, 15c  
Silk Hair Nets, elastic edge, six for 25c  
Talcum Powder, large cans, 10c for 3 for (Downstairs Store.)

### Special Luncheon

30c  
Breaded Veal Chops or Roast Beef, Brown Gravy  
Mashed Potatoes  
Stewed Tomatoes  
Cold Slaw  
Homemade Rolls and Butter  
Coffee, Tea or Milk  
Large Cream Puff or Chocolate Sundae. (Downstairs Store.)

### Women's Gloves

At 85c Pair  
Imported Chamoisette Gloves; 16-button length; in brown, made of pongee, beaver and black. All sizes.

At 79c Pair  
Heavy capeskin and fine, light-weight lambskin Gloves, in black, white and colors. (Downstairs Store.)

### Emerson Records

At 25c Each  
Brand-new, 10-inch Records; double faced; large assortment for selection: 4 for 95c. (Downstairs Store.)

### Aluminumware

At 95c  
In the assortment you'll find: Aluminum Saucepan, with cover; panel shape; 4-quart size.  
Stewpan Sets; three pieces, 1, 1½ and 2 quart sizes.  
Aluminum Double Boiler, in panel shape; 2-quart capacity.  
Aluminum Cooking Kettles in panel shape with bail handle and wood handle grip; 5 and 6 quart sizes.  
Aluminum Teakettles; seamless style, with bail handle and wood grip; 3½-quart size. (Downstairs Store.)

### 2000 New Wash Dresses

For Girls 7 to 14 Years

At **79c**



A SAVINGS Day feature of unusual interest to mothers, is this offer of Amoskeag gingham Dresses in plaids, checks, stripes and solid colors. Light, medium and dark colors, in a wide variety of pretty styles, attractively trimmed. Splendid school Dresses, in sizes 7, 8, 10, 12 and 14. (Downstairs Store.)

### New Tailored Waists

In Sizes 36 to 46

At **95c**



YOU will be surprised at the splendid values offered in this group of tailored Waists. They are made of woven striped voile, with Peter Pan or Tuxedo collars and turnback cuffs. Some styles have white pique trimming, others checked gingham collar and cuffs. In white voile and tan-colored linene, sizes 36 to 46. (Downstairs Store.)

### Beacon Blanket Robes \$3

Sizes 16 to 44 and 46 to 52

OUR entire stock is offered at this low price. They are well made, of fine quality Beacon cloth, silk, satin, and braid trimmed; beautiful designs and colorings. Have large collars, turnback cuffs, pockets and cord at waist. (Downstairs Store.)

### 1200 Gingham Frocks

For Street, Porch and Home Wear

At **\$1.55**

WOMEN who take advantage of this Savings Day offer will effect substantial savings on Gingham Dresses.

They come in beautiful plaids and checks, attractively trimmed with organdie collars and cuffs. All have large sashes. Some fine Percale Dresses are also included. Long waisted and fitted styles, with round-square or V necks, in all desirable colors. Sizes 16 to 46. (Downstairs Store.)



### An Unusual Offering of 1750 Strips Lace Curtains

At 19c, 29c and 39c Strip

THESE are Nottingham Lace Curtains with scalloped borders. Shown in white and beige shades; in 2¼ and 2½ yard lengths. All are perfect, and match into pairs.

Three-piece Curtain Sets of excellent quality scrim, with wide lace border and edge; separate valance; headed; white only. 95c  
At, Set 95c  
Sample Armure Portieres, good quality, in several styles; some fringed; match into pairs. 95c  
At, each 95c  
Couch Covers in Oriental stripe designs; fringed; 40 inches wide by 2½ yards long. 95c  
At, each 95c  
Curtain Scrim; printed in floral and bird designs; good color combinations; perfect, cut from full pieces; at, yard 11c  
Extension Rods, ball end style; in brass; 28 inches long. 48 inch extension; complete with hooks; at, each 8c  
Sash Curtains of scrim, with double hem and lace edge; headed, ready to hang. 19c  
At, pair (Downstairs Store.)

### 7-Foot Holland Window Shades

At 55c Each

A LOT of 1200 to sell at this price. Made of "Special Holland", mounted on guaranteed spring rollers; blue, green, and white; 96-inch width. Complete with fittings. Slight seconds. (Downstairs Store.)

### 9x12 Highspire Brussels Rugs \$8.89

THE seventy Highspire wool-faced Brussels Rugs offered at this price are remarkable values indeed. They offer a good assortment of patterns for bedrooms and dining rooms. Come in 9x12 size, very slightly mismatched.

### Axmister Rugs, \$24.98

Standard grade Axminster Rugs in a selection of beautiful allover and Oriental effects; in many choice color combinations. 9x12 size. All perfect.

### Axmister Rugs

27x52-Inch, \$2.79  
Splendid-wearing quality Axminster Rugs, choice patterns and color effects.

### Linoleum, 67c Square Yd.

Good quality burlap back printed Cork Linoleum, in tile, hardwood, and carpet effects. 2 yards wide. Subject to occasional misprints. (Downstairs Store.)





## MOTHER! OPEN CHILD'S BOWELS WITH "CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP"

Even Cross, Feverish, Sick Children Love Its Fruity Taste and It Cannot Injure Tender Little Stomachs.



Don't let child stay  
illness, constipated.

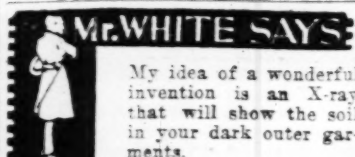
Happy mother! A teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. If your child is constipated, bilious, feverish, fretful, has cold, colic, or if stomach is sour, tongue coated, breath

bad, remember a good "physic-laxative" is often all that is necessary. Genuine "California Fig Syrup" has directions for babies and children printed on the bottle. Say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

## THE TIME TO TAKE PEPTO-MANGAN

When You Feel a Little "Off"  
It Will Bring You Back to Health.

Some people never need any medicine at all. They are, as the saying goes, "strong as a bull." They are mighty lucky. Most people need a good tonic once in a while. They take cold, or through overwork or social activity do not get enough sleep; many eat improper food and thus hurt the digestion. It is mighty wise to take Guide's Pepto-Mangan with the meals for a few weeks and build up. One cannot have too much good health. Pepto-Mangan gives you plenty of red blood, and everybody knows that red blood means feeling good and looking good all the time. Sold by druggists in liquid and tablet form.



My idea of a wonderful invention is an X-ray that will show the soil in your dark outer garments.

THREE other St. Louis newspapers COMBINED—and more than TWICE as many as the nearest competitor.

## ACCIDENT VERDICT IN CASE OF SLED FATALITY

Witness Tells How Robert Hollander Was Killed by Auto in Forest Park.

A coroner's verdict of accident was returned today at the inquest into the death of Robert Hollander, 18 years old, of 4558 Clayton avenue, who was fatally injured Monday night when thrown from a sled and run over by an automobile on Government drive in Forest Park. Hollander and Edward Murphy, 14, of 4575 Gibson avenue, were riding on a sled attached to the rear of an automobile, and Hollander was holding the rope of another sled on which Maurice Gladson of 4942 Berthold avenue was riding.

Stephen B. Young of 7217 Rule avenue, Maplewood, driver of the automobile which ran over Hollander, voluntarily testified, giving substantially the following account of the accident: He was driving south on Government Drive at about 12 or 15 miles an hour and the car to which the sleds were attached was coming toward him. As the other car neared him it suddenly swerved toward his side of the street and scraped the fenders and hubs of his car. This threw the sleds, which he had not seen before, in front of his car and it ran over Hollander before he could stop.

Other witnesses corroborated this account and stated that the other automobile, from which the sleds had been freed, went about 100 feet and stopped, then was driven rapidly away. The police have not found the driver of this car.

**VOTE ORDERED ON CALLING OFF PACKING-HOUSE STRIKE**  
Referendum of Idle Employees Both in St. Louis and East St. Louis to Be Held Tomorrow.

Striking packing-house workers, formerly employed at the plants of the National City, adjoining East St. Louis, and in East St. Louis, will vote tomorrow to determine whether the strike shall be called off. The referendum is ordered in a letter received yesterday by local union leaders from the headquarters of the Amalgamated Meatcutters and Butcher Workmen. The reason given is that hope of Government intervention has been abandoned.

The letter said, in part: "The Committee on Conciliation of the Department of Labor called at the general office, on instructions from Mr. Hugh Kervin, Assistant Secretary of Labor, and gave the information that striking packing-house workers should no longer hold out hope for intervention from the Department of Labor."

The letter directs that the vote be taken by secret ballot before 3 p. m. tomorrow.

**TELEGRAPHER'S FUNERAL HELD**  
Eugene H. Johnson, 79, Handled War-Time Key for Lincoln.

Funeral services for Eugene H. Johnson, 79 years old, a telegrapher, who died Monday from septic poisoning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. F. A. Lewin in Kirkwood, was held this afternoon.

He was born in Syracuse, N. Y., and as a youth went to Marshall, Mich., where he learned telegraphy. He served under Gen. Grant in the Civil War, being stationed part of the time as a telegrapher at the White House, where President Lincoln frequently called at his post of duty to get reports. For several years he was Associated Press operator, and worked in the telegraph department of several St. Louis newspapers. Besides Mrs. Lewin, the widow, a son, F. R. Johnson, and another daughter, Mrs. W. G. McGuire of Chicago, survive.

**Is That Cold and Cough Hanging On?**  
YOU will be convinced that Dr. King's New Discovery does just what it is meant to do—soothes coughs, new throats, congested, congested chests, loosens the phlegm pack and breaks the obstinate cold and gripe attack, relieves the congestion in the head. No harmful drugs, therefore good for children as well as grownups.

Right away you will notice the change for the better. Have a convincing, lasting taste that you will appreciate. Buy a bottle of any drug store on the way home to-night, etc.

**Dr. King's New Discovery For Colds and Coughs**  
Lax People, Lax Bowels. Don't neglect constipation. It undermines the health, takes all vim out of you. Dr. King's Pills will invigorate the system, stir up new blood, move the bowels. All druggists, 25c.

**PROMPT! WON'T GRIPE**  
**Dr. King's Pills**  
Say Ben-Gay  
**BAUME BENGUE**  
(ANALGESIQUE)  
For Tired Feet  
At All Druggists—Keep a tube handy  
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## Wash Fabrics Promise an Early Spring

THEY are all here. Freshly colored crisp Gingham in small plaids, smart little checks and plain rainbow shades; softly tinted linen for dainty morning dresses; sheer voiles that lend charm to sun-filled days. And now comes Spring sewing.

**New Dress Gingham**  
In neat checks, plaids and solid shades, in a wide range of pretty colors for women's and children's dresses. 32 inches wide. Very exceptional value, the yard 40c

**Novelty Woven Voiles**  
In neat checked and plaid patterns on white and colored grounds of many different shades. 38 inches wide \$1.25 to \$1.50 a yard

**New Imported Scotch Gingham**  
Are shown in the wanted staple checks, of the desirable sizes. Colors: Pink, rose, navy, green, brown, red; exceptionally good value for 85c a yard

**New Everfast Suiting**  
Guaranteed fast color. Comes in colors that are very becoming to children—for both boys' suits and girls' dresses. Width 36 inches. Special, a yard 50c

**36-Inch Beach Cloth**  
In open weave effects, in solid colors such as rose, light blue, navy, brown. Yard 50c

**New Woven Madras Shirtings**  
In neat striped patterns on white and colored ground, in a large range of colors. These are desirable for men's shirts or women's tailored blouses. 32-inch width, the yard 50c and \$1

**New Raguet Cloth Suiting**  
—is a most serviceable wash fabric for boys' suits and children's dresses. Colors: Brown, orchid, 32 inches wide; the yard 30c

**New Imported Dress Linens**  
In such wanted weaves as French, Non-Crush, Ramie, etc. They are much in demand this season, in all colors. 36 to 45 inches wide; a yard \$1.00, \$1.25 to \$1.75

**New Printed Voiles**  
Are shown in neat figured, floral and daintily effects, on white and colored grounds. These are a large number of pretty shades for flirty frocks. 40 inches wide; a yard 50c, 65c and 75c

**New Normandie Swiss Voiles**  
—which are exact copies of St. Gall Swiss in metallic dots, figures and plaid effects on colored grounds of Copen, navy, gray, rose, brown, green, etc. Width 40 inches. Priced, a yard 85c

**New Ever-Fast Gingham Cloth**  
Is guaranteed fast color against sun and ink. It is especially good material for children's dresses. Colors: rose, green, blue, maize, orchid, etc. 36 inches wide; a yard 65c



## Last 5 Days of the Sale of "Mendel" Trunks

—The Greatest Sale of High-Grade Trunks in Our History

—Steamer Trunks —Steamer Wardrobes  
—Dress Trunks —Full-Size Wardrobes

MENDEL Trunks are without doubt the best Trunks made. They are dustproof and waterproof. They will stand more rough usage than any Trunk on the market. We have sold them for nearly twenty-five years, and in all that time we have never heard of a Mendel Trunk being broken at the corners nor of a handle coming off. The same quality as that is built into Mendel Trunks through and through.

These Sale Prices Will Save You a Substantial Amount —therefore you should purchase at once, for only five days more of this sale remain. Remember, charges made tomorrow will be entered on February statements payable in March.

## FULL-SIZE WARDROBE TRUNKS

No.	Regularly	Sale Price	No.	Regularly	Sale Price
344	\$55.00	\$36.00	373	\$105.00	\$64.75
345	\$67.00	\$40.00	376	\$125.00	\$78.75
355	\$75.00	\$47.25	377	\$140.00	\$87.25
357	\$85.00	\$50.75	384	\$150.00	\$92.25
359	\$95.00	\$52.00	385	\$165.00	\$101.50
373	\$80.00	\$49.00	386	\$195.00	\$118.50
374	\$92.00	\$56.25			

## DRESS TRUNKS

No.	Regularly	Sale Price	No.	Regularly	Sale Price
726, 36-inch	\$32.50	\$20.50	743, 39-inch	\$47.00	\$29.50
726, 39-inch	\$35.00	\$21.50	727, 36-inch	\$47.50	\$28.75
725, 36-inch	\$37.50	\$23.75	727, 39-inch	\$50.00	\$29.75
725, 39-inch	\$40.00	\$24.75	746, 36-inch	\$67.50	\$42.50
743, 36-inch	\$45.00	\$28.00	746, 39-inch	\$72.50	\$44.00

## STEAMER TRUNKS

No.	Regularly	Sale Price	No.	Regularly	Sale Price
925, 36-inch	\$20.00	\$18.50	943, 39-inch	\$40.00	\$23.50
925, 39-inch	\$32.00	\$19.50	946, 36-inch	\$55.00	\$33.75
			946, 39-inch	\$58.50	\$35.00



## THOUSANDS DO SELVES GREAT ESPECIALLY TO

By Continued Use of Purgative

New Fruity Laxative Relieves Constipation

If it's a choice between harsh old-fashioned purgatives and a gentle scientific laxative, which would you choose?

Thousands of people know they are doing themselves great harm by their continued use of purgative pills and powders and old-fashioned cathartic medicines.

Many of these medicines may weaken the muscles of the bowels and bring about a chronic state of inactivity in the intestines.

Analax—the natural Fruity Laxative—is made up of scientifically prepared ingredients, so combined that it acts gently and naturally, but with a wonderful tonic effect.

And in taste is just like a fresh ripe raspberry.

Analax helps to permanently relieve constipation, and bring about a normal bowel action.

Just Look at These Bargains!

Govt. (Rec.) Men's \$60 Overcoat  
Men's \$50 Overcoat  
Men's \$25 Leather Coat  
Men's \$20 Storm Coat  
Men's \$35 Overcoat  
Men's New Submarine  
Men's \$22 Sheep-Lined  
Men's \$7.50 Corduroy  
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Men's \$15 High-Top  
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## RED PEPPER FOR COLDS IN CHEST

Ease your tight, aching chest. Stop the pain. Break up the congestion. Feel a bad cold loosen up in just a short time.

"Red Pepper Rub" is the cold remedy that brings quickest relief. It cannot hurt you and it certainly seems to end the tightness and drive the congestion and soreness right out. Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers, and when heat penetrates right down into colds, congestion, aching muscles and sore, stiff joints relief comes at once. The moment you apply Red Pepper Rub you feel the tingling heat. In three minutes the congested spot is warmed through and through. When you are suffering from a cold, rheumatism, backache, stiff neck or sore muscles, just get a jar of Rowles Red Pepper Rub, made from red peppers, at any drug store. You will have the quickest relief known.

One lady thought that I was advertising white flannel. I am advertising the soil in your outer garments, white flannel or otherwise.

## SHUPP CLAIMS VICTORY OVER "LIQUOR LOBBY"

Superintendent of Missouri Anti-Saloon League Says "Beer Machine" Is Beaten.

The annual report of the Rev. William C. Shupp, superintendent of the Missouri Anti-Saloon League, to the board of trustees representing the churches co-operating in support of the league, was made public today. It includes the result of a survey conducted by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, covering 73 of the 114 counties of Missouri, as to prohibition enforcement. The statistical report from the counties is:

Favorable to law enforcement, 53; against, 2; lukewarm, 12. County officers faithful, 56; unfaithful, 9; lukewarm, 8. Federal aid, 22; no aid, 39; only when called, 1. Convictions, \$20. Number of arrests, 1003. Fines collected, \$46,450. Costs of prosecution, \$5240, leaving a difference on the side of the school fund of \$41,210. As to the benefits of prohibition: Beneficial, 53; no benefit, 5; worse, 2. Supt. Shupp's report contains a financial statement showing that the total receipts of the Missouri Anti-Saloon League for 1921 were \$38,243.13, and disbursements \$38,451.46. A small balance on hand at the beginning of 1921 offset the slight excess of disbursements over receipts and left \$5.49 in the treasury Dec. 31 last.

Financial Report Made. The receipts are credited largely to "subscriptions and collections," without details. The disbursements include: Speakers' salaries, \$10,258.34; traveling expenses, \$4630.78; printing American Issue (the league's organ), \$4512.52; general printing, \$2298.44; stenographers and clerks, \$3858.10; postage, \$1279.50; telephone and telegraph, \$1079.96; office furniture and supplies, \$1133.50; Anti-Saloon League of America, \$3175; national speakers' expenses, \$1734.32; office rent, \$1680; detective service, \$147.

In his summary of the league's work in Missouri in 1921, Supt. Shupp says that the year was one of "holding the trenches against the most determined counter-drive ever attempted by the enemy." "Insidious propaganda, calculated to show that prohibition is and must be a failure, has been pressed to the utmost," Supt. Shupp says. "Organized bands of law violators, backed by brewers and even liquor interests in foreign lands, have gone to the utmost limit to bring the law into disrepute. The most determined attacks ever made against any law have been made in the courts against the eighteenth amendment and laws enacted for its enforcement. These lines of attack have been pressed to the utmost limit, but not an inch of ground has been taken from us."

"The liquor lobby at Washington and in many of the state legislatures has been more active and determined than it has ever been, but we have successfully met its attacks. Whenever a Congressman showed signs of yielding to these subtle and determined influences, we have reminded him that he was representing dry majority sentiment back in his district by seeing to it that he heard from a few hundred or even a few thousand voters from back home. This, we feel, was both fair and effective, for too often otherwise good folks back home forget to extend any encouragement to their representative, even when the other side are bringing almost irresistible influence to bear upon him. Your representative desires to know how you stand before he votes, and to get your approval when he votes and acts right."

Couldn't Find His Aunt's Home. William Howard, 24 years old, of Bismarck, Mo., called at police headquarters today, after he learned that his aunt, Mrs. D. C. Murphy of University City, had asked the police to look for him. He is attending a barber school, and said he had intended to call at his aunt's home, but had not succeeded in learning just where it was and how to get there.

### PLUTO WATER

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WHEN NATURE WON'T PLUTO WILL

**Sick Stomach Headache**

For quick relief, get a 10-cent package of Orangeade Powders at any drug store. They stop any kind of headache or sick stomach from any cause and never fail. Full formula printed on every package.

## PRICES SHOT TO SHREDS AT THE MIGHTY U. S. Govt. Surplus Stock Sale AT BARNEY'S ARMY GOODS STORE 713-719 WASHINGTON AV.

- Just Look at These Bargains!**

**Act Today! Save Money**
- Govt. Heavy Cotton Blankets ... **98c**
  - Govt. All-Wool O. D. Rec. Blankets ... **\$1.98**
  - Govt. (Rec.) Army Comforts, Only ... **.98c**
  - Men's \$60 Overcoats, Fur Collars, Silk Lined ... **\$19.75**
  - Men's \$50 Overcoats, Finest Quality, Big Fur Collars, ... **\$14.75**
  - Men's \$25 Leatherette Sheep-Lined Coats ... **\$12.75**
  - Men's \$20 Storm Coats, Mackinaw Lined, Belted ... **\$6.95**
  - Men's \$35 Overcoats, Special Tomorrow ... **\$9.90**
  - Men's New Submarine Overcoats, Belted Models ... **\$6.90**
  - Men's \$22 Sheep-Lined Coats, Fur Collar ... **\$9.90**
  - Men's \$7.50 Corduroy Sheepskin-Lined Vests ... **\$3.45**
  - New Storm Rubbers for Everyone, All Sizes ... **39c**
  - Men's \$15 High-Top Boots, 18 inch, 2-Buckle Top, ... **\$5.95**
  - Men's \$5 Munson Last Work Shoes, Broken Lines ... **\$1.98**
  - Officers' \$8.00 Dress Shoes at **\$3.95** Pair

- ### GROCERY SPECIALS!!
- 15c SOCIETY PANCAKE FLOUR, One-pound package ... **7c**
  - Buckwheat Pancake Flour, Ready to Use, ... **10c**
  - Just add water; big one-pound package ...
  - Wilson's Select Roast Beef, Ready to Serve, ... **7c**
  - Just heat; per pound ...
  - Worcestershire Table Sauce, ... **5c**
  - Per bottle ...
  - Wilson's 50c Fancy Lunch Tongue, ... **19c**
  - Ready to serve ...

- ### BARGAIN BASEMENT SPECIALS!!
- Boys' Overcoats; sizes 14 to 20 years; values up to \$4.95; special ... **\$4.95**
  - Men's \$8 Heavy Duck Coats; corduroy collar, blanket lined, leather trimmed ... **\$2.98**
  - New Storm Rubbers, for women and children; values up to 39c ... **\$1.25** a pair
  - Govt. Blankets; new and rec.; single and double; value up to \$3; choice ... **\$1.59**
  - Govt. all-wool Army Overcoats; dyed; rec. ... **\$1.98**
  - Govt. all-wool rec. Army Shirts; special ... **88c**
  - Men's \$1.25 Slipover Sweaters, at ... **59c**

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## Entire Stock of Suits and Overcoats REDUCED

Including Such Well-Known Makes as Stein-Bloch Smart Clothes and Fashion Park Clothes

- \$ 26**

Suits and Overcoats were \$35 and \$40

**\$ 36**

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**\$ 46**

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Also Overcoats and Ulsters, \$65 and \$75 Values, \$56  
Many of these are from Thexton & Wright, London, Eng.

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— Quality Corner —  
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Tease your taste. Think of the finest ice cream you have ever eaten. Then, in thought, cover that with crispy, luscious milk-chocolate. Eskimo Pie makes a wonderful combination of these two finest of delicacies. Fresh from the best ice cream factories they come wrapped in sanitary tin-foil. Sold by the millions daily—at regular ice cream shops. Made under patents by the licensees of the Russell Stover Company, Malters Building, Chicago.

**10c**

St. Louis Dairy Co.  
Home Ice Cream Co. National Ice Cream Co.







# Winter Day

## Due-Girl—Hundreds of Saving Opportunities—Winter Needs—Come Early!

### THURSDAY— DOLLAR SALE

**\$2.00 Covered Kettles**  
Big 6 quart high-grade aluminum covered kettles, this sale \$1.00.

**\$2.00 Double Roasters**  
Big 6 quart high-grade "Lifetime" aluminum double roasters, this sale \$1.00.

**\$1.00 Granite Sets**  
Consisting of gray 1-1/2 qt. Pan, 3-qt. Mixing Bowl, 4-qt. Pot, 7-qt. Col. Deep Mixing Bowl and 1-1/2 white Saucepan, this sale \$1.00.

**\$1.00 Ash Cans**  
11 gallon cans with firm covers, riveted handles, this sale \$1.00.

**\$1.75 Kitchen Sets**  
1 m.p. wood pin, pot, masher, fork and four spoons, each piece at \$1.00.

**\$1.50 Household Sets**  
Consisting of 12 pieces of mixed tinware and Crystal White Laundry Soap, this sale \$1.00.

**\$1.49 Clothes Baskets**  
Large size, made of good grade woven willow, this sale \$1.00.

**\$1.50 Combination Mirrors**  
Good size, with towel bar, made of white enamel, this sale \$1.00.

**\$1.45 Bread Boxes**  
Family size, well made, with white enamel, this sale \$1.00.

**\$1.50 Wash Boilers**  
Full No. 1 size, with heavy copper bottom, this sale \$1.00.

**\$1.00 Copper Bottom**  
Good size, with heavy copper bottom, this sale \$1.00.

**Very Special for Men's Pajamas**

**\$1.50 Grades—Special at.....**

An unusually attractive group of a special group of good quality Pajamas, made with silk frogs, in plain white and various solid colors. While the lasts Thursday.

**To Clear Them Out Inventory We Offer 200 Overcoats**

From Our Regular at a Clear Saving of \$10—Choice,

**\$1**

Included Are Big, Warm Ulsters and Ulsterettes, and Full Be...

We never carry Coats one season to another—hence the remarkable opportunity for you to save \$200 in the lot—fine chevrons and weather mixtures with either reversible convertible collars. Sizes for men and young men.

**Just for Thursday—  
Girls' Coats**

**\$12.95 to \$16.95 \$9.95**  
Qualities.....

**Warm Collars of Rich Fur**

Likewise plain models of good quality materials in a variety of popular shades. Smart pockets, belts and new cuff innovations are featured. All warmly lined throughout. Sizes from 7 to 16 years.

(Second Floor—Nugents.)

**\$1.50 Flannel Pajamas \$1**  
Boys' flannel Pajamas—some with silk frog trimmings. All neat patterns. (Second Floor—Nugents.)

**75c Toques, 2 for \$1**  
Boys' wool Toques, in plain white and color combination. (Second Floor—Nugents.)

**\$1.50 Tams and Polo Caps \$1**  
Boys' chinilla Tam in tan and blue. Chinilla and Jersey Polo Caps in mixture color. (Second Floor—Nugents.)

**Boys' Blouses \$1**  
Boys' gray and blue flannel racking Blouse in collar attached style. (Second Floor—Nugents.)

**\$1 Sweaters, 2 for \$1**  
Boys' gray cotton sweaters in coat style. Broken sizes. (Second Floor—Nugents.)

**Boys' Ties, 2 for \$1**  
Fancy stripe and flower designs—all with slip-on bands. (Second Floor—Nugents.)

**\$1 Bag Frames, 3 for \$1**  
Celluloid Bag Frames, in dark colors. (Main Floor—Nugents.)

**88c Candlesticks, 2 for \$1**  
Fancy polychrome Candlesticks. Low shade. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

**\$1.50 Serving Trays \$1**  
Natural finished Serving Trays. High rim style. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

**\$1.25 Flower Bowls \$1**  
Fancy art pottery Flower Bowls. Large size. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

**\$1.50 Candlesticks \$1**  
Fancy twisted Candlesticks, mahogany finish. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

**\$1.75 Lamp Shades \$1**  
Decorated paper Lamp Shades, black and yellow style, for budvase lamps. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

**Infants' Long Dresses \$1**  
Fine muslin Dresses with yoke, daintily embroidered, finished with lace at neck and sleeves. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

**Jersey Drawer Leggings \$1**  
Good quality Jersey knit Leggings, elastic at waist, button on side. In sizes 2 to 6. In various colors. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

**Children's \$1.25 Gowns \$1**  
Slipper style of good muslin. Sizes 6 to 14. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

**\$1.50 Petticoats \$1**  
White Petticoats of good muslin, with deep embroidery flounce. In various attractive patterns. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

**59c Corset Covers, 2 for \$1**  
Good muslin Corset Covers, trimmed with embroidery or lace, in built-up style. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

**Women's Drawers, 2 for \$1**  
Muslin Drawers, open style, cut full. Trimmed with scalloped embroidery edge. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

**Boys' \$1.25 Caps \$1**  
Boys' one-piece Cap, made with hand style. In neat mixture patterns. (Second Floor—Nugents.)

**Boys' 45c Ties, 3 for \$1**  
Fancy stripe and flower designs. Open-end style. (Second Floor—Nugents.)

**88c Union Suits, 2 for \$1**  
Men's medium and heavy weights, in gray color. Broken sizes. Some slightly soiled. (Main Floor—Met's Store.)

**50c Candy, 3 Pounds \$1**  
Assorted homemade Candies, including: hot peck roll, apricot, jumbles, caramels, nougats, etc. (Main Floor—Nugents.)

**40c Candies, 3 Pounds \$1**  
Assorted hard Candies, including: filled Candies. (Main Floor—Nugents.)

**29c Congoletum Mats, 5 for \$1**  
18x36-inch Mats, in assorted patterns. No borders. (Third Floor—Nugents.)

**47c Matting, 3 Yards \$1**  
36-inch Japanese Matting, in attractive patterns, also plain effects. (Third Floor—Nugents.)

**Stair Treads, Doz. \$1**  
6x18-inch heavy-grade Rubber Stair Treads. (Third Floor—Nugents.)

**49c Rug Borders, 3 Yards \$1**  
Congoletum Rug Borders, 24 inches wide. Hardwood effects. Eight seconds. (Third Floor—Nugents.)

**35c Sateen, 4 Yards \$1**  
36-inch soft lustrous quality black Sateen. For bloomers, etc. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**89c Serge, 2 Yards \$1**  
36-inch all-wool Midway Serge. Bright green only. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.35 Pongee \$1**  
33-inch all silk Pongee, natural color. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

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Unbleached, 36 inches wide. Medium weight. Free from dark spots. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

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Front of the Loam. Mill lengths. Very fine quality. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**60c Sheetting, 2 1/2 Yards \$1**  
81-inch Seamless Bleached Sheetting. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

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2 to 10 yard lengths of 36-inch percales, in white grounds, with all new, neat colored patterns in stripes, stripes and dots. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**69c Pongee, 2 Yards \$1**  
36-inch half silk Pongee, in the wanted natural tan color. Ideal for draperies. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

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32-inch Madras, in a good quality. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**Apron Gingham, 8 Yards \$1**  
27-inch Apron Gingham, in the wanted blue and white apron check. All fast colors. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

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32-inch Dress Gingham, in all the wanted small plaids, stripes and checks. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**35c Crepe, 4 Yards \$1**  
32-inch Kimono Crepe, in light and dark grounds, with all neat, small patterns. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**17c Flannel, 8 Yards \$1**  
Outing Flannel, in neat colored stripes, for pajamas and nightgowns. 27 inches wide. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**25c Outing Flannel, 6 Yds. \$1**  
36-inch Outing Flannel, in white grounds, with all neat colored stripes, for nightgowns and pajamas. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.00 Waists, 2 for \$1**  
Lace and embroidery trimmed Waists of lawn, organdy and voile. Ten styles, all new and clean. Sizes 36 to 46. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1 Tricotelette Waists 2 for \$1**  
Overlouse Waists, three colors. All sizes from 36 to 46. Good quality—drate. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.95 to \$3.95 Waists \$1**  
50c Waists of Georgette, crepe de em-broidery trimmed with lace and beaded fronts. Ten styles—but not all sizes in each. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**Women's Wool Sweaters \$1**  
The backs and slipover sweaters. All made of all-wool yarn in five colors. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**40c Coffee, 4 Pounds \$1**  
Nugent's Special Steel cut. Put up in one-pound airtight packages. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

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**95c to \$1.45 Slippers, 2 Pcs. \$1**  
Full Slippers. Assorted styles. Dark and bright colors. Sizes 2 1/2 to 7 1/2. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.50 to \$1.75 Julietts \$1**  
Ten Julietts, in various colors. Fur trimmed, with leather soles and heels. Sizes 3 to 6. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.50 Sweaters, 2 for \$1**  
Women's tie-back Sweaters, made of all-wool yarn, with long sleeves. Four colors. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**Fiber Silk Sashes \$1**  
72-inch Fiber Silk Sashes, 8 inches wide, in assortment of variegated colors. Tassels on ends. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**35c Corset Covers, 4 for \$1**  
Beading-trimmed top, with ribbons. Full cut. Good quality muslin. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**68c Bloomers, 2 for \$1**  
Good quality Sateen Bloomers. Full cut. Reinforced elastic waistband. White only. Women's sizes. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 Petticoats \$1**  
Flesh and White Sateen Petticoats, with scalloped and beaded bottoms. Fine quality. Double panels front and back. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

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Batale Bloomers of good quality, with elastic at waist and bottom. Reinforced. Women's sizes. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1 Petticoats, 2 for \$1**  
Fine heavy-weight muslin Petticoats, with embroidery and lace flounce and dust ruffles. Women's sizes. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.50 Muslin Gowns \$1**  
Fine count. Length 60 inches. With ruffles of lace and modalline. Very full cut. Sizes 10 to 14. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**14c Crash, 10 Yards \$1**  
Bleached, flat border. Good weight. Soft assortment. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**39c Towels, 4 for \$1**  
18x36-inch splendid weight Hem-stitched Huck Towels. Assorted Jacquard border designs. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**49c Towels, 3 for \$1**  
22x44-inch extra heavy Turkish. Red or blue border. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.50 Napkins, Dozen \$1**  
18x18-inch Hemmed Napkins. First quality. Assorted patterns. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**29c Towels, 5 for \$1**  
18x36-inch double thread Turkish Towels. Unbleached. Slight second. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**20c Towels, 8 for \$1**  
17x34-inch all-white Huck Towels. First quality. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**7c Crash, 20 Yards \$1**  
Unbleached, red border cotton crash, for top and kitchen towels. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**29c Butcher Linen, 5 Yds. \$1**  
36-inch heavy round thread linen. Finish Butcher's Line. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**18c Longcloth, 8 Yards \$1**  
36-inch full bleached soft chambray. Finish Longcloth. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.75 Diapers, Dozen \$1**  
20x20-inch Hemmed Red Star Diapers. Subject to slight oil stains. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.50 Corsets, 2 for \$1**  
Fine quality. Curved of white coutil. Medium bust, long hips. Sizes 30 to 34. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**75c to \$1 Brassieres, 2 for \$1**  
Regulation Brassieres, in lace or embroidery trimmed models. In low back front or back, in tape shoulder strap. Sizes 32 to 48. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**59c to 69c Confiners, 3 for \$1**  
Rust Confiners of basket weave or fancy cloth. Hook front or back. Tape shoulder strap. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**35c Pillow Cases, 4 for \$1**  
42x36-inch full bleached Cases. Fine wave. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**59c to 89c Petticoats, 2 for \$1**  
Women's Flannel Petticoats, in light and dark shades, with deep flounce. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.50 to \$2.95 Aprons \$1**  
Women's made of gingham, checks, in- plaide, trimmed with lawn trimmings. Included are jumper dresses and percale house-dresses. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.50 to \$2.00 Aprons \$1**  
Odd lot of Waitress and Hospital White Aprons. Slightly soiled. Mouse sizes. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**59c Aprons, 2 for \$1**  
Women's old-fashioned Kitchen Aprons of check gingham, with pockets. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1 Sacques, 2 for \$1**  
Women's Light Percale Dressing Sacques with short sleeves. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**89c Petticoats, 2 for \$1**  
Black and Amorek Gingham Petticoats. Made in a splendid assortment of wide and narrow stripes, plain and fancy ruf-fle, draw string waist. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**Sateen Petticoats \$1**  
Black Sateen Petticoats, with curde or tucked flounce with 1-inch hem. Elastic waist. Extra and regular sizes. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**69c Aprons, 3 for \$1**  
Girls' Bungalow Aprons of light per-cale, gingham and blue binding on neck, sleeves and pockets. Broken sizes. Limited quantity. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.69 Wash Dresses \$1**  
Girls' Dresses of jeans, chambray, gingham and gingham, in plain tailored and trimmed models, belt or tie sashes. Sizes 8 to 14 years. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**20c Marquiesette, 8 yards \$1**  
50 full pieces, 36 inches wide. Shown in white ivory and Arabian. Limit of 24 yards. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**Boys' \$1.50 Pants \$1**  
All wool and wool mixed Pants, in complete assortment of sizes 8 to 16. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**Boys' \$1.50 Sweaters \$1**  
Slip-over style Sweaters. Heavy weight. Sizes 6 to 14. Red only. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**75c Blouses, 2 for \$1**  
Boys' fine quality percale Blouses, with slight oil stains. Sizes 6 to 15 years. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**87c Pants, 2 for \$1**  
Boys' full-cut Knickerbocker Pants of good quality wool mixed material. Sizes 8 to 16. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1 Sweaters, 2 for \$1**  
Boys' made of gray cotton yarn, heavy weight, coat style. Sizes 6 to 14. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**50c Vests and Pants, 3 for \$1**  
Children's heavy flannel, ribbed Vest and Pants. Sizes 2 to 14. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**45c Union Suits, 4 for \$1**  
Women's flannel lined and fine yarn Union Suits in high neck, long sleeve, ankle length style. Sizes 36 to 44. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**29c Vests, 5 for \$1**  
Women's fine ribbed Vests with bodice taped top. Sizes 36 to 40. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**12 1/2c Hose, 12 Pairs \$1**  
Men's medium weight Cotton Hose in black, blue and gray. All sizes. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**19c Hose, 8 for \$1**  
Men's Hose with double heel and toe, medium weight. In black, brown and navy. All sizes. Second. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**39c Ticking, 4 Yards \$1**  
Art Ticking, 36 inches wide. Extra heavy quality, striped designs, in all the wanted colors, 1 to 8 yard lengths. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**25c Cretonnes, 6 Yards \$1**  
36 inches wide. Splendid material for over drapes or covering comforts. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**39c Hose, 4 Pairs \$1**  
Misses' fine finish mercerized fine ribbed Hose. Sizes 5 1/2 to 9 1/2. Black, white and cordovan. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**17c Hose, 8 Pairs \$1**  
Women's good weight Cotton Hose in black or brown. All sizes. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**39c Hose, 4 Pairs \$1**  
Women's ribbed top flannel lined Cotton Hose, in all sizes. Black only. Second. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**68c Hose, 2 Pairs \$1**  
Women's flannel lined heavy-weight Hose, in black only. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**75c Camisoles, 2 for \$1**  
Made of fine wash satin and Habutal silk, trimmed with lace and ribbon. Sizes 36 to 44. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.50 to \$2.00 Camisoles \$1**  
Heavy quality satin, crepe de chine and sateen silk Camisoles, with flit Vel lace and medallions. Both built up and ribbon strap shoulder. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**58c to 75c Dresses, 4 for \$1**  
Jumper Dresses and Band Aprons of percale and gingham and other odd garments. Limited quantities. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**Sheet Blankets, 2 for \$1**  
Flaid Sheet Blankets. Full size. Good weight—second quality. Limited quantity. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.50 Sheet Blankets \$1**  
69x76 and 64x76 inch good warm Sheet Blankets. Gray and tan. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**\$1.35 and \$1.45 Sheets \$1**  
72x90 and 81x90 inch Seamless Sheets. Good, substantial quality. No dressing. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

**19c Pillow Cases, 7 for \$1**  
42x36-inch. Made of mercerized cotton. (Bargain Basement—Nugents.)

### GRANT CENTENARY CELEBRATION URGED

Plans Proposed to G. A. R. Posts by Committee of Monument Association.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The Executive Committee of the trustees of the Grant Monument Association, which controls Grant's Tomb, has issued to the posts of the Grand Army of the Republic throughout the United States recommendations for the observance of the centenary of the birth of Grant on April 27, 1933. The committee urges:

"That the national Government be requested to take appropriate action for the observance of the anniversary and the Congress of the United States take such measures as may be necessary to assure the dedication of the Grant Memorial at Washington on April 27 next.

"That the State Legislatures, Governors of the several states and municipal officers be urged to take suitable action to bring to the attention of the people the great lessons taught by Gen. Grant's steadfast adherence to his country's cause in the time of severest trial, and that all institutions of learning throughout the land be invited to celebrate the notable event.

"That special commemorative services be held at Point Pleasant, O., the place of his birth, and at Riverside, N. Y., the place of his burial.

"That patriotic exercises be held on that day in the schools and churches of the land. Your committee further recommends that the incoming Commander in Chief be authorized to formulate a program or order of exercises for the use of posts on that occasion, and that all members of the Grand Army of the Republic, in so far as they may be able, shall participate in some simple yet direct way in honoring the memory of Ulysses S. Grant.

"That all patriotic societies and organizations representing the several wars in which the United States has at any time participated, be requested to unite in the celebration of the anniversary, and that the Woman's Relief Corps, auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic, the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, and all others allied to the Grand Army of the Republic, be invited to join with us in honoring the memory of Gen. Grant."

**Firm to Continue in Business.**

A new board of directors of the Missouri Sweet Distributors, Inc., was chosen at a meeting yesterday afternoon, with Delbert Wenzlick as president of the board. Del. M. Hill, attorney for the company, announced that it had been made possible, through the sale of \$47,000 of bonds of a total issue of \$75,000, to continue operation of the shop.

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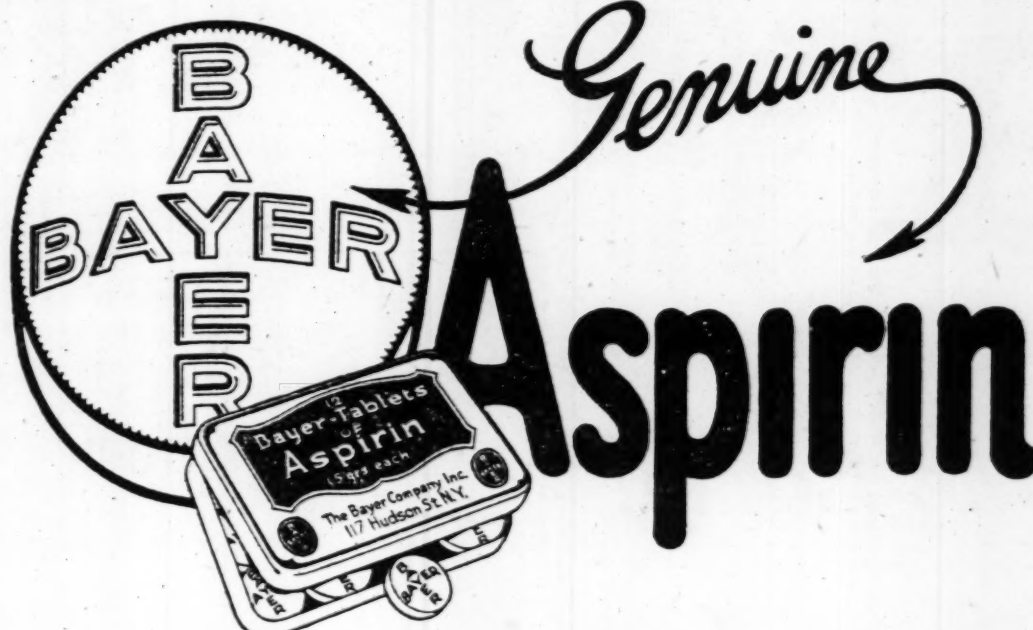
## HYDE TO FILL ELECTION BOARD VACANCY TODAY

In St. Louis on Way to Washington; Will Confer on Congressional Apportionment Bill.

Gov. Hyde, in St. Louis today, on his way to Washington, said that he expected, before departing tonight, to announce the appointment of a successor to Alex. H. Robbins, a Democratic member and secretary of the St. Louis Board of Election Commissioners who died a month ago. The Governor said he expected to have several conferences during the day and that, after the conferences, he would announce his selection.

Among those under consideration are Charles P. Williams, Edward S. Lewis, Joseph L. Hornsby and William M. Ledbetter. In Washington the Governor will confer with the Missouri delegation in Congress regarding the congressional apportionment bill. He will ask that the bill give authority to the Governor, Attorney-General and Secretary of State to lay out the congressional districts, hoping by this means to avoid a referendum by the Democrats on a redistricting by the Legislature or by the Governor under the State law. Referendum petitions are now being circulated by the Democratic State Committee to suspend the congressional redistricting bill passed by the Legislature in special session in November. The Governor also will seek to have Congress pass an act permitting the return to the Government of the \$50,000 balance in the Spanish War fund in control of the Governor, or its use by the State in the erection of a memorial. The money

was appropriated by Congress 12 years ago to pay Missouri soldiers' service in the Spanish-American War. The Governor said he did not believe it would be possible to find the persons to whom the balance of the fund was due.



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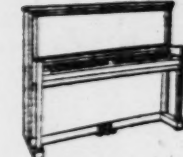
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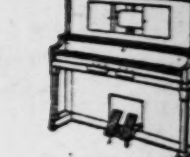
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FLEISHER'S YARN 20 wanted colors; German-made. 25c  
30-in. Huck Towels; red border; very special. 10c  
Special. (Main Floor)

Union Suits  
Women's fleeced, ribbed Union Suits; high neck, long sleeve and short sleeve; special. 69c  
Special. (Main Floor)

## LINOLEUM

FELT RAS: in blocks, tile, mosaic and hardwood effect. Pieces in the lot worth up to \$1.00 each, all subject to misprint and oil saturation. Special price tomorrow. 29c  
Sanitary Coats: drop-side angle iron frame; double link fabric; spring. \$3.98

## CURTAIN SCRIM

30 inches wide; double border; 5 yards for \$1.00  
75c CURTAIN PANELS, 25c  
Curtain Nails: 25c  
Pillows: full size elegant art silk; new clean 59c  
Drapery Shades: 25c  
Duplex Shades: 30 in. wide; quarter lined and de-sign. 49c

## 50c DAY—BATHING

8 YARDS CALICOES 2 1/2  
American fast colors; light and medium patterns. 50c  
\$1.50 SILK WAISTS 2 1/2  
Assorted colors and sizes; special. 50c  
75c FLANNELLETTES GOWNS Made: V-neck; good quality material. 50c  
75c SATEN PETTICOATS Extra good quality; team, made full size. 50c



## OUCH! BACKACHE! RUB LUMBAGO OR STIFFNESS AWAY

St. Jacob's Oil stops any pain, so when your back is sore and lame, or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest St. Jacob's Oil at any drug store, pour a little in your hand, and rub it right on your aching back; and by the time you count fifty the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing, penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the pain right out and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless, and doesn't burn the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica, backache or rheumatism so promptly. It never disappoints!

## BAD BREATH

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Get at the Cause and Remove It

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, act gently on the bowels and positively do the work.

People afflicted with bad breath find quick relief through Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The pleasant, sugar-coated tablets are taken for bad breath by all who know them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act gently but firmly on the bowels and liver, stimulating them to natural action, clearing the blood and gently purifying the entire system. They do that which dangerous calomel does without any of the bad after effects.

The benefits of nasty, sickening, gripping cathartics are derived from Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets without gripping, pain or any disagreeable effects.

Dr. F. M. Edwards discovered the formula after seventeen years of practice among patients afflicted with bowel and liver complaint, with the attendant bad breath.

Olive Tablets are purely a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color. Take one or two every night for a week and note the effect. 15c and 30c.

## PRISONER ADMITS 25 WEST END BURGLARIES

East St. Louis Negro Confesses After Being Found With Stolen Goods.

John Nicholson, 33 years old, of East St. Louis, a negro, after being arrested last night with stolen goods in his possession, confessed to the police that he had committed about 25 burglaries in the West End residence section of St. Louis in the last month. He told of seven homes he had entered and said he could not remember the locations of others.

Nicholson was stopped and questioned by detectives at Vernon avenue and Union boulevard. They found in his pocket a meshbag containing \$3.37. After being questioned at the Page Boulevard Police Station he admitted he had stolen the bag from William Addison's home, 5334 Maple avenue. He was taken there and the bag was identified. The family did not know the house had been entered.

Other robberies admitted by Nicholson were at the homes of Lloyd Stowe, 5611 Enright avenue, Jan. 19; George N. Lynch, 5134 Enright avenue, Jan. 16; Gustave Moritz, 5037 Cates avenue, Jan. 16; Hugo Fischer, 5212 Cabanne avenue, Jan. 16; George Watson, 5070 Waterman avenue, Jan. 1, and Benjamin Gratz, 5155 Lindell boulevard, Dec. 16. He said he stole jewelry valued at \$1000 at the Stowe home and \$28 at the Fischer home. At other places, he said, he took small articles of jewelry.

At the Moritz home the burglar was frightened away by Moritz's daughter, Helen, 12 years old. She will be asked to attempt to identify him, as will several other women who have reported to the police that they scared a negro burglar from their homes in the last few weeks.

Accused of Killing Her Baby.  
HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Jan. 23.—Nellie Zimmer, 17-year-old orphan girl, was arrested yesterday, charged with the murder of an infant son which was born Monday. The police said the mother admitted having killed her child by beating it with her fists and hitting its head against the sharp corner of an icebox.

# Shaper

STORES CO.  
6th and Washington

**100c STAMPED COWNS**  
Made of fine quality material, stamped with designs, 79c.

**22 1/2c Longcloth and Nainsook**  
40 in. wide, soft finish, high color, all sizes, special at yard, 15c.

**FLEISHER'S KNIVES**  
In wanted colors; German-made, 25c.

**10c TOWELS**  
30-in. Huck Towels; red border, very special, 10c.

**Children's Shoes**  
Good quality, in black and brown, leather, button and lace styles, some subject to slight imperfections, but all are wonderful bargains; sizes 5 to 8, 8 1/2 to 13 1/2; very special, 15c.

**90c SATINETTE**  
Wanted color in 36-inch soft, lustrous Satinette, for linings, drapery, etc.; special, 59c.

**108c WASH SATIN**  
36-inch pure silk Wash Satin, in flesh only, for underwear, blouses, etc.; special (Main Floor), 98c.

**29c WOOL JERSEY**  
36-in. all-wool Jersey, in tan and navy, very special, 1.79 (Main Floor).

**UNDERWEAR**  
One lot men's heavy flannel Shirts and Drawers, extra special, 49c.

**SWEATERS**  
Clean-up sale on boys' slip-on Sweaters; extra special at, 39c.

**WOOL SOCKS**  
Special home knit Socks; regular 50c value at, 25c.

**VESTS**  
Women's flannel Vests; regular 49c, special, 39c.

# LINOLEUM

**FELT BASE:** In blocks, tile, mosaic and hard wood effect patterns; pieces in the lot worth up to \$1.00 yd.; all subject to inspection and all at special price tomorrow, row, square yards.

**Sanitary Couch:** drop-side single iron frame, double link fabric, 29c.

**75c CURTAIN PANELS, 29c**

**CURTAIN SCRIM**  
36 inches wide; double border, 49c.  
50 yards for, 29c.

**ELECTRIC SHOWERS**  
Brush brass coating, plates, complete, wired, with fancy glassware.  
\$4.00 1- \$2.49  
light for \$2.00  
\$5.00 2- \$3.49  
light for \$2.50  
\$6.00 3- \$5.98  
light for \$3.00  
\$7.00 4- \$7.98  
light for \$3.50

**10 to 11 O'clock**  
Coal made; 29c; strong make; 29c; Shovel, 29c.

**Gas or Electric**  
Showers; complete with glassware; special, \$7.98.

**10 to 11 O'clock**  
Coal made; 29c; strong make; 29c; Shovel, 29c.

**50c DAY—BARGAIN BASEMENT**

**8 YARDS CALICOES**  
American fast colors, light and dark, 50c.

**6 YARDS 50c SILK WAISTS**  
Assorted colors and sizes; special, 50c.

**75c FLANNELLETTES**  
Made V-neck; good quality material; 50c.

**75c SATIN PETTICOATS**  
Extra good grade satin, made from 50c material, 50c.

**2 EMB. CORSET COVERS**  
Made of good quality material; 50c.

**2 MEN'S UNDERWEAR**  
Heavy flannel Shirts and Drawers; 50c.

**6 YDS. OUTING FLANNEL**  
Light, fancy pattern; 50c.

**7 YARDS TOWELING**  
Unbleached, 18 inches wide; special, 50c.

**1.00 Bungalow Aprons**  
Made of good quality material; 50c.

**6 YARDS BLEACH MUSLIN**  
Genuine mill remnants; special, 50c.

**4 YARDS HOPE MUSLIN**  
Pure bleach; to a 50c; 50c.

**5 YDS. UNBLEACH MUSLIN**  
36 to 38 inches wide; good quality; special, 50c.

**Wool Hose—Formerly \$2.50**

Wool Hose, in smart ribbed effects and wanted heather shades. Pre-Inventory Sale price.....

**\$1.65**

Kline's—First Floor.

**Kline's**

606-08 Washington Av., Thru to Sixth St.

**New Tweed Sport Hats**

Brand-new arrivals that are just the thing to wear with your new Tweed Suit. Special at.....

**\$2.45**

Kline's—Second Floor.

# Winding Up Our Fiscal Year With Our Great Semi-Annual Pre-Inventory Sale

Next week we take stock—our regular Semi-Annual Inventory. To list as little Winter merchandise as possible at that time we purpose to reduce Winter stocks to the lowest possible level.

Regardless of Cost, Every  
Winter Garment Must  
Go Within 2 Weeks

There is only one way to do this to a certainty—and that is to reduce prices so low that the goods will literally fly from the racks. Read these amazing items. Make up your mind to be here when the doors open.

**Pre-Inventory Sale of Winter SUITS**

Choice of the House at Three Prices

Suits Formerly \$25

**\$10**

\$35 to \$45 Suits

**\$20**

\$50 to \$75 Suits

**\$25**

**Winter Coats Must Be Sold!**

Profits and Costs Are Things of the Past—Many Coats Offered at HALF Original Prices

Cloth & Plush Coats  
Formerly Priced at \$29.75 to \$40....

**\$20**

Cloth & Plush Coats  
Formerly Priced at \$45 to \$55.....

**\$30**

Fine Cloth Coats  
Formerly Priced at \$50 to \$75.....

**\$40**

**Coats—Formerly Priced \$25**

Pre-Inventory Sale price.....

**\$10**

**Any Winter Coat**

Formerly \$85 to \$150, Now... \$65

Kline's—Third Floor.

**New Spring Sweaters**

Of All-Wool and Jersey

**\$2.95**

Greatly Underpriced

Tuxedo and slip-on styles; various colors and combinations.

**Any Winter Dress!**

Choice of the House at Three Absurd Prices—

Winter Dresses  
Formerly Priced \$39.75 to \$75..

**\$25.00**

Winter Dresses  
Formerly Priced \$25 to \$35...

**\$11.85**

Winter Dresses Formerly Priced \$15 to \$25.....

**\$7.85**

**Clearance of FURS**

Former prices—profits — costs — EVERYTHING—has been ignored in a supreme effort to dispose of every remaining Fur piece.

**Reductions Range to 60%**

**ANIMAL SCARFS, FORMERLY \$45 to \$65—**

Full-skin Canadian wolf and Alaska fox Animal Scarfs; in taupe, brown and black; now reduced to.....

**\$18.00**

**COONEY COATS, FORMERLY \$40 to \$75—36-**

inch taupe and brown cooney Coats, self trimmed, now reduced to.....

**\$29.00**

**FUR STOLE, FORMERLY \$35 to \$85—Choice**

of kolinsky marmot, Scotch mole, civet cat, nutria and Hudson Seal\* Stoles; size 15x72 inches; for... \$29.75

**KOLINSKY MARMOT COATS, ORIGINALLY**

\$150—Either plain or with racoon collar and cuffs. Pre-Inventory Sale Price.....

**\$75.00**

**Hudson Seal is seal-dyed muskrat.**

Kline's—Third Floor.

**All Remaining Winter Waists**

Formerly \$5.95 to \$15

**\$3.95**

Georgettes, crepe de chine and satins. Less than cost of materials.

Kline's—Main Floor.

**Pre-Inventory Sale & Final Clearance of Boots, Oxfords, Straps & Pumps**

1650 Pairs Absolutely Sacrificed—Formerly \$7.50 to \$12.50

**\$2.95**

**Special Notice!**

Mar, we ask that you assist us in serving as much as possible. No Refunds or Layaways.

The lowest price which Shoes have ever been sold for in this department, and as our stock consists only of high-grade Shoes, you are assured of getting the "bargain of your life."

Materials are patent leather, satin, brown and tan calf, black and brown kid, and brown and gray suede; military, Louis and junior Louis heels; in weights for street or dress wear. All sizes, but not in every style.

"On the Mezzanine"

**Pre-Inventory Specials in Junior Dept.**

**Girls' Coats**

Sizes 8 to 14 Years

Formerly \$12.95 to \$19.75....

**\$7.85**

Formerly \$20 to \$30....

**\$13.85**

**To Close Out—Formerly \$2.95 to \$6.95**

75 girls' ginghams, Dresses, 22 wool Sweaters, 47 wool Skirts and 5 serge Capes. Choice at.....

**\$2**

**Pre-Inventory Group of Underwear**

Of Silk—Slightly Soiled

Formerly \$3.95, \$5 and \$7.95

**\$2.49**

A group of about 100 pieces, consisting of soiled gowns of crepe de chine, also envelope chemise, bloomers and sleep drawers of satin, radium silk, La Jerez and crepe de chine. While they last, \$2.49.

Kline's—Main Floor.

**One of the "High Lights" in Our Pre-Inventory Event—a Sale of Early Spring Hats**

Of Gros de Londre and Cire Satin

Formerly \$5 to \$7.50

**\$3**

A group of several hundred to select from, in styles suitable for present and Spring wear. Trimmings of flowers, quills, fruits, embroidery and ornaments; colors of Copen, jade, tangerine, pheasant, brown, black, gray and henna. Not a Hat formerly priced less than \$5; choice at.....

Kline's—Second Floor.

**Pre-Inventory Sale of SKIRTS**

Of All-Wool Striped Prunella and Plaid Velour.

\$5.95 to \$10 Values

**\$3.95**

All-wool Skirts that comprise a special purchase and garments drastically reduced. Beautiful color combinations.

Kline's—Fourth Floor.



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"After trying all remedies and doctors for stomach trouble for eight long years I decided I would be helped and aware I would never take another dose of any kind of medicine. When I saw what Bell's Hot Water Cure did for a friend, who also suffered from indigestion, I decided to try it myself. It helped me at once. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the cause of indigestion, inflammation, and all stomach ailments, including appendicitis, colic, flatulence, gas, and heartburn. It is sold in all drug stores, and is the only cure for indigestion, stomach trouble, and all ailments of the digestive system."

Sure Relief  
FOR INDIGESTION

**BELL'S**  
Hot water  
Sure Relief  
25c and 75c Packages Everywhere

FREED AFTER SERVING  
7 YEARS OF LIFE TERM

Italian Now Believed to Be Innocent of Murder for Which He Was Convicted.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 23.—Philip De Paul, an Italian, who had served seven years of a life sentence from Jefferson County for murder, was paroled from the State penitentiary yesterday by Gov. Hyde, on the unanimous recommendation of the State Board of Pardons and Paroles, on the statement of court officials of Jefferson County that they believe De Paul is innocent of the killing for which he was convicted.

Assistant Attorney-General Albert Miller was prosecuting Attorney of Jefferson County when De Paul was tried in 1913. In his statement to the Parole Board Miller said it now is his belief that the most damaging "fact" in the chain of circumstantial evidence against De Paul had been manufactured by the group of his countrymen who insisted upon De Paul's prosecution, and who departed for Italy immediately after his conviction.

De Paul, with the other Italians, was employed by the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. at Crystal City. He was reputed to be a spendthrift. The man he was accused of killing, and whose name does not appear in the parole papers, on the contrary, saved his money. The body of the thrifty man was found one morning in a field near Crystal City, the pockets of his clothing inside out. De Paul was accused, but according to Miller the chain of circumstances first presented did not show that De Paul and the murdered man had been together on the day of the killing. The accusers went away, and according to Miller came back in a short time with another Italian who gave the required evidence.

Circuit Judge E. M. Deering and two other Jefferson County lawyers, who, like Miller, had been Prosecuting Attorneys of that county, also favored the parole, which was to Dr. F. Emory Lyon of Chicago.

**BUSHMAN SAYS BIG EXPENSES, HIGH PRICES, INJURE MOVIES**  
Francis X. Bushman, moving picture star, now appearing in vaudeville with his wife and co-star, Beverly Bayne, discussed "What's the matter with the movies?" in a talk before the Chamber of Commerce at luncheon at Planters Hotel yesterday.

"The movies are suffering now because the American public likes something new all the time," he said. "They found they had gone as far as they could, with numerous 'extras,' fancy orchestras in the theaters and so on. When they reached a point beyond which they could go no farther, public interest dropped off. They indulged in overadvertising and directors and stars became jealous of each other. Directors charged, but that vaudeville is in the opposite situation, which, he said, explained his presence in vaudeville. Miss Bayne spoke briefly, saying Bushman did the family talking.

"Expenditures became too large; they all wanted to spend \$200,000 or \$300,000 on each production, when the cost should have been \$100,000 or \$50,000. They thought great expenditures meant greatness. Yet 'Humoresque' cost only \$40,000 and it had real heart interest, though there were no mobs and no toys paraded before the eyes, no beautiful scenes, beautiful furniture or beautiful ladies bathing. The people here wanted human interest, heart interest, and when finally they found they were fooled they stopped going to the movies. They are tired of big prices in palaces and want their money's worth for 5, 15 or 25 cents."

Bushman added that the "other" theater, the legitimate, is suffering because of the excessive prices charged, but that vaudeville is in the opposite situation, which, he said, explained his presence in vaudeville. Miss Bayne spoke briefly, saying Bushman did the family talking.

**Germany Defers Naming Envoy.**  
By the Associated Press.  
BERLIN, Jan. 23.—The German Cabinet is deferring action on the appointment of an Ambassador to the United States. It was said unofficially yesterday that no selection would be made until the economic situation of Germany was clarified.

**SUFFERERS from chronic indigestion will find quick relief from a few doses of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.**  
It gives you artificiality the pepsin nature may have deprived you of and the lack of which causes dyspepsia. You will find it much more effective than chewing tablets and laxative candies.

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After February 1, 1932, HOLLAND BUILDING Will Be Known as  
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What About Your Dark Ones?  
"Phone Chapman"  
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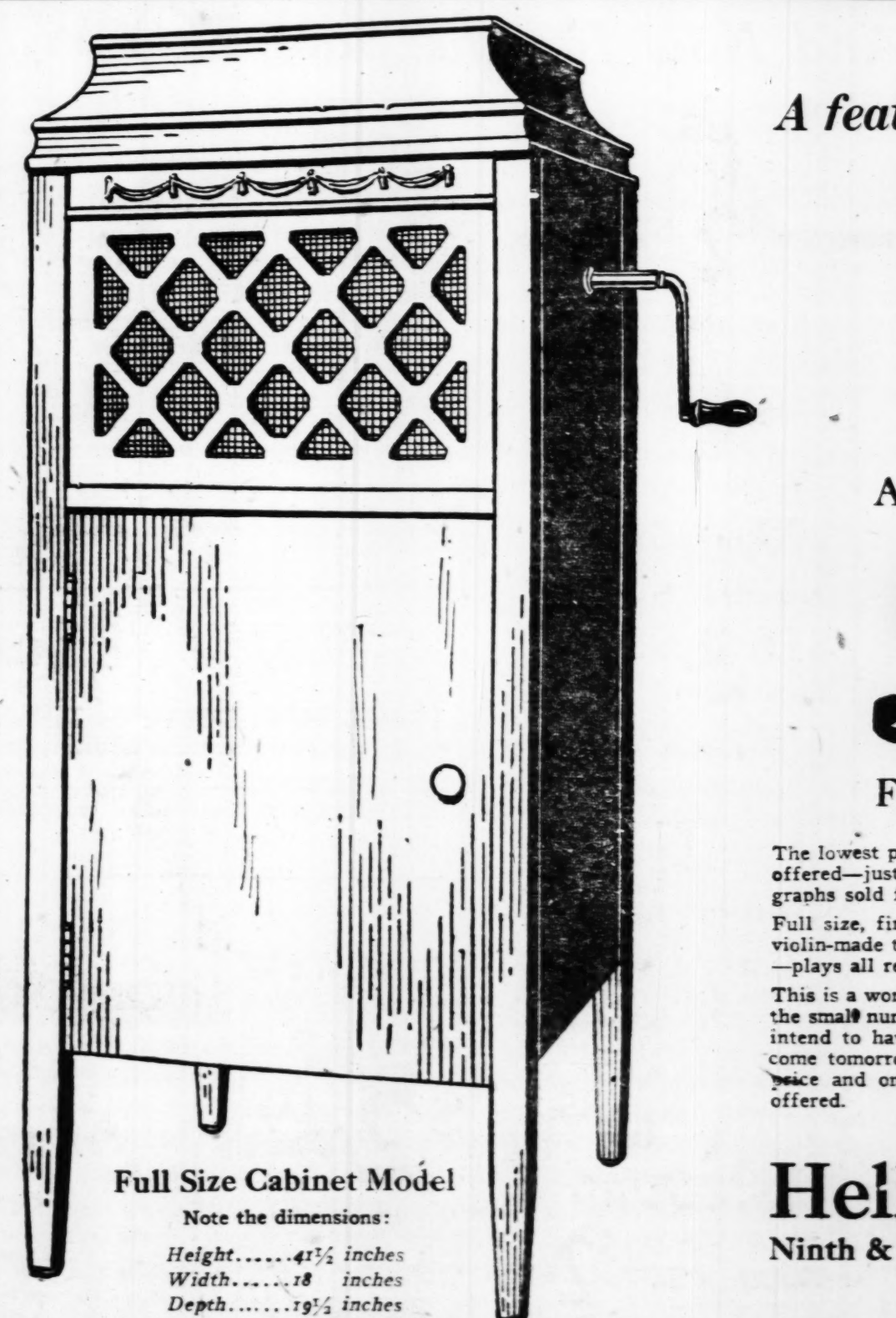


for breakfast tomorrow  
**FRENCH COFFEE**

Good, flavory, heavy bodied, delicious French Coffee—what a satisfying drink it really is!

Serve it for breakfast one of these crisp mornings. Notice the smile on "hubby" and the rest—as they take their first swallow, French is mighty good Coffee.

**KROGER'S**



Full Size Cabinet Model  
Note the dimensions:  
Height.....41 1/2 inches  
Width.....18 inches  
Depth.....19 1/2 inches

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15 Largest Cities

Tied with Cleveland, St. Louis has the lowest electric service rates for residence uses in any of the largest fifteen cities of the United States. Taking as a basis for comparison the average residence using 35 kilowatt hours of energy per month in three active rooms, with a connected load of one kilowatt, and twenty sockets, the largest fifteen cities are found to rank as follows:

City	Monthly Bill	Cents Per Kw. H.
1. St. Louis	\$2.05	5.86
2. Cleveland	2.05	5.86
3. Detroit	2.07	5.91
4. Buffalo	2.15	6.14
5. Chicago	2.33	6.66
6. Milwaukee	2.36	6.75
7. Los Angeles	2.47	7.06
8. Philadelphia	2.69	7.69
9. Pittsburgh	2.79	7.71
10. New York	2.98	8.51
11. Cincinnati	3.00	8.57
12. Baltimore	3.10	8.86
13. San Francisco	3.32	10.05
14. Newark	3.62	10.24
15. Boston	3.85	11.00

Union Electric's advantages of Keokuk power, cheap coal, economical financing and efficient management explain St. Louis' leadership in this respect. We are proud of this showing—but even prouder of the fact that with lowest rates this company renders service of a quality second to that of none other in the country.

The rapid growth of Union Electric's business requires the investment of millions of dollars of new capital yearly. Each year, to a larger extent, this new capital is obtained from St. Louis district people, through the sale of Union Electric's 7% preferred shares. We are now selling the last half of the fifth \$1,000,000 issue of these shares direct to home investors at \$100 each for cash, \$101 on a ten-payment plan. In our judgment, and in that of nearly 8000 home investors who own them, there is no safer permanent income investment in this state. So far as we know, there is no other of any kind for which the issuing company maintains a constant par cash market.

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WE GIVE AND REDEEM EAGLE STAMPS

**Hosiery**  
2000 pairs men's, women's and children's Cotton Hose; full seamless; slight second; extra special value, pair, 10c  
**Union Suits**  
Men's ribbed Union Suits; fleeced, full cut, well made; medium weight; slightly imperfect; a bargain, each, \$1.00  
**Union Suits**  
Women's ribbed Union Suits; fleeced, extra well made and good quality, 98c  
**Dresses**  
Value to \$10. Just received new shipment all-wool Serge Dresses, nicely embroidered, sizes 16 to 44. Bigger and better values than elsewhere, \$3.98  
**Coats**  
All-wool velvets, browns and blues; some fur trimmed values to \$29.00, \$7.98

**WOMEN'S LOW SHOES!!**  
Here are \$4, \$5 and \$6 values. Many of the choicest styles of this season.

Patents, Tans, Chocolates and Kid Leathers  
Brogues, fancy strap styles, Sallies, Oxford, Mary Janes and Pumps, High low and medium heels, sizes 7 1/2 to 9 1/2  
**\$2.95 and \$1.95**

**U. S. Wool Gloves**  
New army surplus O. D. finger gloves, with long wrists; worth 50c, at.....19c  
**U. S. Wool Sox**  
Soft gray wool new army Sox; heavy weight; special at.....22c

**39c Middy Cloth**  
Fine twilled 37-inch red galatea Middy Cloth, selling regularly at 39c this special purchase at, yard.....25c  
**25c Challies**  
Yard wide; fine quality, soft, dainty Printed Challies, in many pretty Persian patterns; 2 to 10 yard lengths; yard.....14c

**Thursday Only**  
Come early and have your choice: 25c velvet, black, trimmed and untrimmed while they last.  
**25c**  
**BLANKETS**  
\$2.75 Blankets, cotton fleeced, tags or extra, size 69x76; on sale, pair.....\$1.98  
\$4.00 Blankets, heavy fleeced, white, gray or tan, large, size, 69x90, on sale, pair.....\$2.98  
\$7.50 Wool Blankets, heavy fleeced, bed size, 84x90, on sale, pair.....\$4.98

**CONGOLEUM SQUARES**  
Good Seal Brand Congoeum Art Squares; size 9x12; every one perfect and sold with a mail guarantee for wear; patterns for every room in the house; special at.....\$8.98  
**CORK LINOLEUM**  
Slight mill imperfections; back perfect; put from mill; cork pattern; regular size; \$1.25 square; special.....69c  
**TEIOLIN**  
Slight mill imperfections; cut from mill; superior quality; square yard.....59c  
Felt-base floor-covering; slight imperfections; regular size; square yard.....39c

**Infants' Hose**  
Infants' white ribbed Hose; full seamless; sizes 4 to 8; special.....15c  
**Infants' 39c Hose**  
Infants' white mercerized little Hose; full seamless; fine quality; special.....25c  
**Shoes**  
Infants' soft sole shoes; leather; price 40c; special.....49c  
**Caps**  
Children's knit caps; 3/4 size; 39c; special.....39c

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It gives you artificiality the pepsin nature may have deprived you of and the lack of which causes dyspepsia. You will find it much more effective than chewing tablets and laxative candies.

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A feature of our February Sale

**\$67.50**

Terms \$1.00 Weekly

A Genuine  
**Pathe**  
Full Cabinet Phonograph

The lowest price at which this known, standard Phonograph was ever offered—just about half the price that thousands of these Phonographs sold for.

Full size, finely made cabinet style—the wonderful Pathe all-wood violin-made tone chamber. Double action motor. Universal tone arm—plays all records.

This is a wonderful bargain and one that we cannot duplicate. When the small number we have on hand are gone—the sale is over. If you intend to have one of these superb Pathe Phonographs, don't wait, come tomorrow. A standard full cabinet Pathe Phonograph at this price and on these terms is the biggest Phonograph bargain ever offered.

**Heilrung & Grimm**  
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CREDIT TERMS GRANTED

WEDNESDAY  
JANUARY 23, 1932

**SCHROETER'S**  
STALLER HOTEL  
NEXT DOOR  
810-812-814 Washington Av.  
St. Louis.  
Weekly Ad No. 906  
THIS SALE CLOSING TUESDAY,  
January 31, 5:30 P. M.

**STILLION PIPE WRENCHES**  
1/2 INCH—Holds pipe to 1 inch. 69c  
1/2 INCH—Holds pipe to 1 1/2 inch. 79c  
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**H**ARRY DENNIS has made an enviable record for perfect health and physique. Not only was he Michigan's prize baby—for which he won \$500—but also he has been adjudged the best baby in five states, winning \$1,000 more.

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36-inch wool-mixed Serge in dark  
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Full of semi-bleached thread silk  
Hose in black, white and colors—well reinforced  
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**88c to \$1 Silk Hose, 2 Pcs.** \$1  
Women's thread silk Hose in semi-fine  
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Hose. Have double tops and reinforced feet.  
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**\$1.50 and \$2 Cheval Frames** \$1  
Antique-finished Cheval Frames in vari-  
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**\$1.50 Pictures** \$1  
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**69c Picture Frames, 2 for \$**  
Roman gold and imitation rosewood  
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**Women's Petticoats** \$1  
Women's \$1.50 white Satin Petticoats,  
with double band, shadow-proof fronts. Sec-  
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**\$1 Table Felt, 1 1/2 Yds.** \$1  
Extra heavy Table Felt, 54 inches wide,  
tablecloth. Will protect table from hot dishes  
and stains.

**25c Percales, 7 Yards** \$1  
Light shirting and dress Percales, 36  
inches wide, in a variety of patterns. Cut from  
the bolt.

**75c to \$1 Scarfs, 2 for** \$1  
Lace-trimmed Scarfs, size 17x50 inches.  
A broad range of styles.

**25c Sateen, 7 Yds.** \$1  
Will remove stains of black Sateen in lengths  
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**29c Bath Towels, 5 for** \$1  
Heavy double-thread Towels, size 18x30  
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**19c Huck Towels, 7 for** \$1  
Pure-bleached Huck Towels with red  
border. Size 16x24 inches.

**\$1.45 Slippers** \$1  
Women's, well-made over-cup Slippers  
with round toes and low heels. Very comfo-

**Coutil Corsets**  
\$2 Values at  
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"Lady Ruth"  
front lace Corsets—  
all new Winter mod-  
els; of pink coutil  
with deep elastic  
back of skirt.

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**\$1.39 to \$1.95 Middies**  
All red and all cadet Middies; also solid  
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regulation styles in women's, misses' and  
boys' sizes.

**69c and 98c Middies, 2 for** \$1  
Solid and odd Middies with colored out-  
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long sleeves.

**\$1-\$1.50 Knitted Wear, 2 for** \$1  
Women's Cardigan Jackets, children's  
Turtleneck and open-front sweaters and the  
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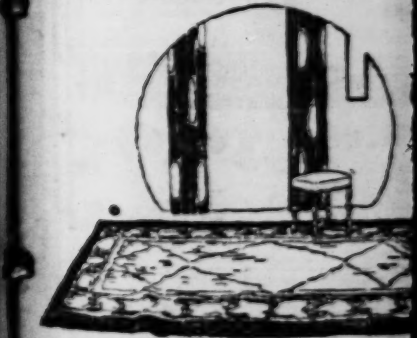
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Good quality plain white hemstitched  
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Hemstitched cambrie Handkerchiefs, with  
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Floral, medallion and conv-  
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deep pile and will give excel-  
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**\$1.25 Linoleum**  
Square  
Yard.. 89c

Cork Linoleum, four yards  
wide, in patterns that are  
very desirable for hallways  
and bathrooms. Neat  
patterns and color combina-  
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36-inch wool-mixed Serge in dark plaid—all of first quality, cut from the bolt. Only 1000 yards in lot. Basement Economy Store

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Full or semi-fashioned thread silk. Hosiery in black, white and colors—well reinforced. Second of \$1.50 and \$2 grades.

## 88c to \$1 Silk Hose, 2 Pcs.

Women's thread silk hose in semi-fashioned style. Lines uppers, heels, toes and colors. Second of \$1.50 and \$2 grades.

## Women's Cotton Hose, 9 Pcs.

Second of 25c grade of black cotton hose. Have double tops and reinforced feet.

## \$1.50 and \$2 Cheval Frames

Antique-finished Cheval Frames in various styles to choose from. Broken sizes.

## \$1.50 Pictures

Included are religious, landscape and portrait pictures in 16x20-inch imitation walnut frames.

## 69c Picture Frames, 2 for \$1

Roman gold and imitation rosewood veneer. 11x14 and 12x16 inch sizes, with glass and back.

## Women's Petticoats

Women's \$1.50 white Satin Petticoats, with double panel, shadow-proof fronts. Scallop or hemstitched finishes.

## \$1 Table Felt, 1 1/2 Yds.

Extra heavy Table Felt, 54 inches wide. Guaranteed. Will protect table from hot dishes.

## 25c Percales, 7 Yards

Light shirting and dress Percales, 36 inches wide, in a variety of patterns. Cut from the bolt.

## 75c to \$1 Scarfs, 2 for \$1

Lace-trimmed Scarfs, size 17x50 inches, in a broad range of styles.

## 25c Sateen, 7 Yards

Mill remnants of black Sateen in lengths from 1 to 7 yards. Limited quantity.

## 29c Bath Towels, 5 for \$1

Heavy double-thread Towels, size 18x36 inches. Pure bleached, with blue borders.

## 19c Huck Towels, 7 for \$1

Re-bleached Huck Towels with red borders. Size 18x36 inches.

## \$1.45 Slippers

Women's well-made one-strap slippers, with road toes and low heels. Very comfortable.

## Coutil Corsets

\$2 Values at \$1

"Lady Ruth" front lace Corsets—all new Winter models; of pink coutil, with deep elastic in back of skirt.

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## \$1.39 to \$1.95 Middies

All red and all cadet Middies; also solid white or white with colored collars and cuffs; regulation styles in women's, misses' and children's sizes.

## 89c and 98c Middies, 2 for \$1

Styled and odd Middies with colored collars and cuffs and fancy braid trimmings; all have long sleeves.

## \$1.50 Knitted Wear, 2 for \$1

Women's Cardigan Jackets, children's T-shirts and open-front Sweaters and infants' hats and wool Leggings.

## Men's 'Kerchiefs, 15 for \$1

Large-sized plain white hemstitched Kerchiefs; with 4-inch hem; 100 each.

## Women's 'Kerchiefs, 24 for \$1

Good quality plain white hemstitched Kerchiefs; with 4-inch hem; 100 each.

## Women's 'Kerchiefs, 12 for \$1

Hemstitched Cambric Handkerchiefs, with 4-inch hem; 100 each.

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## An Added Dollar-Day Feature—

## Axminster Rugs

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Floral, medallion and conventional patterns in pleasing colors, with neat border effects. Woven with a deep pile and will give excellent wear. Size 9x12 feet. The imperfections are, in most cases, unnoticeable.

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Cork linoleum, four yards wide, in patterns that are very desirable for kitchens, hallways and bathrooms. Neat pattern and color combinations. Will cover the average room without a seam.

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We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2 in Cash Charge Purchases Made During the Remainder of the Month Will Appear on February Statements.

# Dollar Day

## In Famous-Barr Co's. Basement Economy Store

Dollar Day will be of special significance tomorrow, because inventories have disclosed large groups of Winter merchandise which have been added to special purchases, and all are offered at savings that are decidedly worth while. In tomorrow's offerings you will find warm Winter wearables for the entire family, also wanted articles for the home. Some of the lots are small, so it will pay you to shop as early as possible. Selling starts at 9 a. m. No phone or mail orders accepted on Dollar Day items.

## Men's Union Suits

Seconds \$1.50 to \$2 Grades

\$1.00

Fleece-lined ribbed cotton suits; also wool-mixed suits; heavy or light weight; long sleeves, ankle length.

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## 50c and 69c Waists, 3 for \$1

Fancy trimmed white voile Waists, made of handkerchiefs, mostly small sizes.

## 59c Knitted Slips, 3 for \$1

Children's colored knitted Princess Slips; limited quantity.

## Children's \$1.65 Shoes

High-top button shoes; also good quality tan and patent leather shoes. Sizes 3 to 8.

## Women's \$1.45 Juliets

Women's kid Juliets, with chrome aglets. Broken sizes.

## Rubber Hip Boots

Men's Hip Boots, made of good rubber, and well reinforced. Subjected to inspection.

## Children's \$2.25 Lace Shoes

Black and tan lace shoes, in broken sizes.

## 98c Juliets, 2 for \$1

Children's blue and pink felt Juliets, with soft chrome aglets.

## Boys' 79c Rompers, 2 for \$1

Neatly made beach rompers in stripe effects. Sizes 3 to 7 years.

## \$1.85 Waistline Corsets

Made of fancy pink figured material and plain pink coutil with heavy elastic at top; good range of sizes.

## 50c and 75c Brassieres, 3 for \$1

Also Bust Corset: open back and front straps, good fitting and in embroidered, lace-trimmed or plain models.

## Silk Warp Flannel

\$2.95 and \$2.50 values; odd lot of silk and wool flannel, 32 and 36 inches wide. Come in white only.

## White Gabardine, 2 Yds. \$1

\$1.25 value; 36 inches wide, heavy satin, very desirable for making skirts, etc.

## White Goods, 6 Yds. \$1

95c to 75c values; imported checks, volles, prairie, India linen, dimity, novelties, etc. Remnants.

## Longcloth, Bolt

10 yards in bolt; 30 inches wide; pure bleached cotton, chambray finish.

## Eiderdown, 5 Yds. \$1

27 inches wide, in blue, white, red, rose and navy; for children's wear, hunting, etc.

## Lining Sateen, 5 Yds. \$1

Rich black or plain white sateen, 40 inches wide. Will remnants of 50c quality.

## 12 Yards Brown Muslin

Heavy round thread Muslin, 36 inches wide, in lengths of 3 to 15 yards.

## Muslin Underwear, 3 for \$1

Children's 50c to 69c Muslin Drawers and Drawers Waists; also black sateen Bloomers. Sizes 2 to 12 years.

## 19c Brown Muslin, 9 Yds. \$1

Unbleached cotton, 30 inches wide. Suitable for sheets, fancy work, draperies, etc.

## 79c and 98c Muslinwear, 2 \$1

Included are children's Muslin Gowns, Slips and Combinations; also Drawers and Drawers Waists; limited quantity.

## 50c and 59c Dresses, 3 for \$1

Infants' solid white dresses and slips in embroidered and lace-trimmed styles. Limited quantity.

## 98c White Dresses, 2 for \$1

Infants' white muslin dresses with embroidered yokes and fancy finishes. Infants' sizes.

## Infants' \$1.98-\$2.98 Coats

Infants' Washable White Long Coats and Short Coats, in sizes 3 to 12.

## Men's \$1.25 Overalls, Ea. \$1

Good quality blue denim Overalls or jumpsuits, in sizes 32 to 40.

## Men's \$1.69 Overalls

Made of serviceable tan khaki in one-piece style. Sizes 32 to 40.

## \$1.39 and \$1.69 Waists

Women's serviceable black poplin and serge Waists in tailored styles; regular and extra sizes.

## \$1.69 and \$1.95 Waists

Women's tailored dimity and organdy Waists; also fancy trimmed voile with long sleeves. Limited quantity.

## Men's \$1.50 Gloves

African cane and suede leather Gloves, in brown, gray and reindeer. For dress wear or driving.

## Silk Waists

Originally \$1.98, \$2.98 and \$3.98

\$1

Women's; limited quantity of Georgette and crepe de chine Blouses; lace-trimmed and all embroidered; only one to a customer. Basement Economy Store

## Boys' 89c Overalls, 2 for \$1

Boys' Overalls in blue only. Have snap-up shoulder and leg. Sizes 4 to 14 years.

## Boys' \$1.39 Overalls

One-piece style in stripes and plain color, trimmed in red. Sizes 3 to 7 years.

## Men's \$1.89 Trousers

Good quality cotton worsted Trousers in stripe effect. Broken sizes.

## Men's and Boys' Coats

Odd Coats in blue and striped mixtures. Broken sizes up to 38 chest.

## Boys' Inband Caps, 2 for \$1

Good quality Caps in blue and fancy mixtures. Sizes 3 1/2 to 7 1/2.

## Men's Fiber Socks, 3 prs. \$1

Seamless Socks in black, white and colors. Have line tops and reinforced feet. Seconds of 60c grade.

## 79c Nightshirts, 2 for \$1

Men's Cotton Nightshirts in V-neck style, some family trimmed. Cut full and roomy.

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## Castile Soap, 2 Bars

\$1

Levanto brand Castile Soap, in four-pound bars. Pure white. Factory cut.

## Kimonos, 2 for \$1

Women's 88c and \$1.25 long crepe and flannellette Kimonos—also short sleeved. Limited quantity.

## \$1.39 and \$1.69 Gowns

Women's striped flannellette Gowns with long sleeves—also one-piece Billie Burke Sleeping Gowns.

## 50c-98c Petticoats, 3 for \$1

Women's striped flannellette Petticoats—also short knitted styles and double yoke—limited quantity.

## \$1.39-\$1.95 Muslinwear

Included are gowns, petticoats, teddy bears, Princess slips and silk camisoles—mixed and sold from handling.

## Muslinwear, 2 for \$1

Women's muslin gowns, teddy bears, petticoats, drawers and corset covers. 79c and 98c values.

## 50c Muslinwear, 3 for \$1

Women's corset covers, solid silk camisoles and knitted bloomers.

## 85c Black Aprons, 2 for \$1

Serviceable black aprons. Aprons with front pocket and side fastening. Used for general office work.

## Gingham Aprons, 3 for \$1

50c and 69c open-back Gingham Aprons or Waist Aprons, of standard and checkered checked Gingham.

## Children's Wear, 2 for \$1

98c Chambray Pajama rompers, sixteen and flannellette rompers, also checked, gingham dresses and middie dresses, in sizes 2 to 6 years.

## \$1.69-\$1.95 Petticoats

Women's regular and extra-size sixteen Petticoats, in black, colors and floral effects.

## Ex-Size Pantalettes

\$1.39 value; made of good quality cotton, cut extremely full and with double elastic cuffs. Women's extra sizes only.

## 15c Muslinwear, 12 for \$1

Children's 2 to 12 broken sizes of muslin bloomers and drawers—limit of one dozen to a customer.

## Girls' \$2 Dresses

Neat-looking gingham and chambray Dresses in checks, plaid and plain colors.

## 98c White Waists, 2 for \$1

Women's many styles of white voile Waists in embroidered, lace-trimmed or tailored effects with long sleeves.

## 75c Carpet, 2 1/2 Yds. \$1

Brussels Carpet, 27 inches wide, in small figured patterns with attractive borders.

## \$1.25 Bed Pillows, Ea. \$1

Pillows, size 17x26 inches, filled with sanitary feathers and covered with rayon ticking.

## \$2.25 Rag Rugs

Limited quantity of Rag Rugs, size 30x60 inches, with fancy borders and fringed ends. Basement Economy Store

## Men's Shirts

\$1 to \$1.50 Values—2 for \$1.00

Soiled madras, percale and pongee Shirts; with soft turnback cuffs; light and dark colors; sizes 14 to 17.

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## Men's Cotton Socks, 8 Prs. \$1

Good quality seamless cotton Socks in black and colors. Seconds of 25c kind.

## Boys' 89c Knickers, 2 for \$1

Serviceable Knickers, in gray and brown mixtures. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

## 75c Crib Blankets, 2 for \$1

Fancy figured Crib Blankets, made of good quality cotton. Size 30x40 inches.

## 35c Texoleum Mats, 5 for \$1

Beit-hat Mats, size 18x36 inches. Assortment of attractive colors with pretty borders.

## 75c Matting Rugs, 3 for \$1

Only 300 of these 27x54-inch Matting Rugs with pretty colored border.

## \$1.25 Door Mats

Coro Door Mats, made with deep brush pile, in size 14x34 inches. Limited quantity.

## \$1.30 to \$2 Union Suits

Women's fine ribbed cotton Suits in various styles. Sizes 34 to 50.

## 79c to \$1 Underwear, 2 for \$1

Women's heavy-weight fine ribbed cotton Vests or Pants.

## Women's 59c Vests, 4 for \$1

Fleece-lined ribbed cotton Vests in white only.

## 59c to 69c Underwear, 4 for \$1

Children's; samples of fine ribbed cotton Vests or Pants, fleece-lined and of good weight.

## Men's Silk Socks, 2 Prs. \$1

Full-fashioned of sheer silk with line tops and reinforced feet. Seconds of \$1 grade.

## Children's Union Suits

Samples and broken lots of boys' and girls' wool Union Suits. White or gray. \$1.75 to \$2 grades.

## 65c Chamois, 2 for \$1

High-grade chamois skin, size 15x19 inches, for polishing furniture and auto bodies. Also some \$1.35 grade, size 23x28-in., each, \$1.

## 45c Gauntlets, 4 Prs. \$1

Made of heavy canvas, with wide gauntlet cuffs and cowhide leather palms. Excellent work gloves.

## 69c to 85c Blouses, 3 for \$1

Excellent made of light and dark materials. Broken sizes and slightly soiled.

## Boys' Nightwear, 3 for \$1

Nightshirts and Pajamas, of flannellette and cotton, in plain and fancy shades; solid.



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# FAMOUS-BARR CO.

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2 in Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted. Charge Purchases Made During the Remainder of the Month Will Appear on February Statements.

## \$3.50 Wool Tricotine

Very excellent quality of pure wool Tricotine—54 in. wide—of splendid weight—in navy or black. Thursday at, yard. **\$2.98**

## Now Is the Time to Secure the Unusual in Values, With All Women's Apparel Reduced

So very extreme are the reductions now offered on Winter Apparel, that to select from any of the following groups will result in surprising savings. Moreover, you have choice of Winter's most approved styles, with a variety that is almost certain to afford just what you seek and making it even desirable to select for next Winter.



**Women's Coats**  
Originally \$45 to \$55  
**\$33**

Plain, embroidered and fur-trimmed models of Normandy, velvet, ermine, bolivia or silver-tone; splendidly made and lined with attractive silk.

**Women's Coats**  
Originally \$59.75 to \$85  
**\$48**

Beautifully styled coats in plain, fur-trimmed and embroidered effects. Some are of a weight suitable for Spring wear. All models hand-tailored.

**Women's Coats**  
Originally \$100 to \$125  
**\$85**

Very exclusive models in coat, cape and wrap effects; of marvellous daintiness, evora, Orlando and velveteen; many trimmed with beautiful furs and all lined with hand-some silk.

**Women's Dresses**  
Originally \$37.50 to \$55  
**\$25**

Modish Winter Frocks of silk and wool fabrics. Majority are suitable, in both style and weight, for early Spring wear and there is a pleasing variety.

**Women's Suits**  
Originally \$45 to \$100  
**\$25**

Tailored, semi-tailored, boxcoat and belted effects of velvet, duvety, mousseline, velveteen, some richly trimmed with fur or embroidery. Approved colors.

**Fur Coats & Long Capes**  
At Discount of **33 1/3%**

Your choice of any Fur Coat or long Fur Cape in our assortment at this saving. All other Furs at a discount of 25%.

## An Unusual Thursday Selling of Smart House Dresses

Originally \$5.95 to \$10.95—now

**1/2 Price**

Broken sizes and broken lots of our very best House Dresses of gingham and crepe, mostly but one of a style; including "Perky Peggy" crepe Dresses in bright colors and high-colored poplin models with white gimpes.

Sizes 36 to 52 in lot, but not every size in every style. Third Floor

## Flannelette Gowns

Well Made and Unusual Values at **\$1**  
All-white Flannelette Gowns, with white braid trimmings, or Gowns of pink and blue striped flannelette, trimmed with colored braid. Sizes 15, 16 and 17 for women.

**\$1.50 and \$2.50 Flannelette Pajamas**  
Women's and misses' one-piece Flannelette Pajamas, with belts or tailored sashes; self or pink collar; full size and full length; shirred sleeves and ankles; all sizes. **\$1.33**

**Satin Charmeuse**  
\$2.50 Quality at, Yard. **\$1.77**

Soft, satin-faced Charmeuse; a very desirable dress fabric; in black, navy and brown, and of splendid weight.

**\$4 Black Taffeta**  
Imported Swiss Taffeta, with a soft finish and of an excellent grade for modish frocks; a raven black. Special Thursday at, yard. **\$3**

**\$2.48 Silk Foulards**  
All-silk Foulards in very attractive patterns; 40 inches wide; desirable for Spring frocks. Special, a yard. **\$1.98**

**\$1.29 Georgette Crepe**  
Sheer but firm weave Georgette in white and flesh; of exceptionally good quality and 40 inches wide. Special. **85c**

**\$2.25 Crepe de Chine**  
Heavy weight, pure silk Crepe de Chine in the most wanted colors. Special. **\$1.88**

## Benefit by This Sale of Men's Sweaters

**\$5.95 to \$12.50 Grades at \$4.65**

Really surprising are the values here offered through a lucky trade turn, bringing all-wool, pure worsted, wool-plaited and worsted-plaited Sweaters at savings not equaled in months.

Rope stitch, cardigan rib, Shaker knit, one-and-one knit, coat and slipover styles, with collar or V-neck, in body stripe effects, heather mixtures and plain colors. Sizes 36 to 46.



## In Three Value-Giving Groups, Thursday—Drapery Remnants

35c to \$1 Grades—at, Yard

**15c 20c 25c**

To supply needs from this vast assortment, consisting of thousands of yards, will mean savings which make for real economy. Curtain Nets, Marquisette, Scrim, Drapery Materials, in endless variety for making curtains and overdraperies. Pieces from 1 to 5 yards.

Fifth Floor

## All Ice Skates

—and Skating Shoes (with the exception of John's son's Racing Skates), now being offered at the very worthwhile discount of **33 1/3%**



Surprising Values Offered Tomorrow in

## Men's Silk Shirts

Originally \$5 to \$7.50—Now.....

**\$3.80**

All Sizes in the Group

The fact that Shirts like these are seldom available at such a low price, will make it a matter of economy for men to supply their needs tomorrow. They are splendidly made of good quality crepe, jersey, broadcloth and other silks—Shirts from our regular stock and offered at this reduced price because they have become soiled from handling.

Shown in a wide variety of stripes, in blue, helio, tan and combination colors—all sizes in the lot, but not in every style. Such unusual values that it would be well to buy several.

Main Floor

An Opportunity to Secure Unusual Clothes Values in Our Clearance of

## Men's Suits and Overcoats

**\$55 to \$60 Values—Offered at**

**\$36**

At this very special price we are offering Winter's smartest models in Suits and Overcoats, with tailoring, styling and finishing all that could be desired.

The Overcoats are the most desirable types, including double-breasted, fancy-back models with all-around belt, ulsters, ulsterettes and Chesterfield models in Oxford gray or black—the kind of Overcoats that are seldom obtainable at this price.

The Suits include single and double breasted and sports models of excellent worsteds and cassimeres—all in Winter's approved patterns and splendidly tailored.



Second Floor

## For Thursday—An Extraordinary Offering of Winter Hosiery

—In Sports Effects for Women and Misses—Special at

**89c**

2400 Pairs—All First Quality

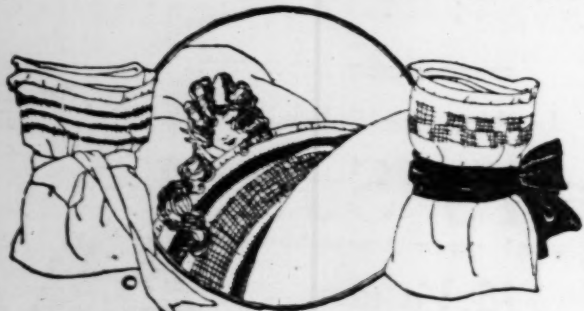
These are highly remarkable values in the kind of Hosiery that is now most popular and because there is not a full range of sizes in every style, selections should be made as early as possible.

The assortment includes all-wool ribbed, all-wool plain weave, wool-and-cotton, silk-and-wool and full-fashioned white cashmere Hosiery. Green, brown and blue heather mixtures.

All sizes in the lot, but not in every kind—no mail orders accepted.

Main Floor

## On the Second Day You Will Find Unusual Profit in Our BLANKET SALE



Blankets and Comforts of such desirable weights and kinds may be so very economically secured in this sale that few will care to overlook this opportunity of supplying every need. The following are the groups from which you may make such profitable selection tomorrow.

**Wool-Mixed Blankets**  
**\$6.50 Value**

At, Pair. **\$3.65**

Wool-mixed Blankets, for double beds; 66x90-inch size; in blue, pink, tan and gray plaids; of very good quality.

**Gray Blankets**  
**\$9.75 Value**

At, Pair. **\$6.85**

Heavy weight gray wool Blankets with cotton warp; pink or blue borders; 72x94-inch size; for double beds.

**All-Wool Blankets**  
**\$19.95 Value**

At, Pair. **\$13.50**

California all-wool Blankets; in blue, rose, pink and gray block plaids; 72x94-inch size; for double beds.

**\$20 Silk Comforts**  
Splendidly woven, heavy weight Steamer Rugs in a variety of plain patterns with plain back; all have fringed ends; each. **\$5.95**

**\$22.50 Wool Blankets**  
Soft, all-wool Blankets in blue, pink, rose, lavender and gray block plaids; satin-bound ends; 72x94 inches; pair. **\$15.75**

**\$10.95 White Blankets**  
Heavy weight white wool Blankets with cotton warp; pink or blue borders; bound ends; 72x94 inches; at, pr. **\$8.85**

**\$4.95 Cotton Blankets**  
Woolnap Cotton Blankets in gray and tan, with striped borders; size 72x90 inches, and of very serviceable quality; at, pair. **\$2.95**

Third Floor

## February Furniture Sale

—offers well-designed Furniture of high quality at extraordinary savings. The following groups are representative of the values; deferred payments if desired.

**Library Tables**  
**\$60 Value—\$32.50**

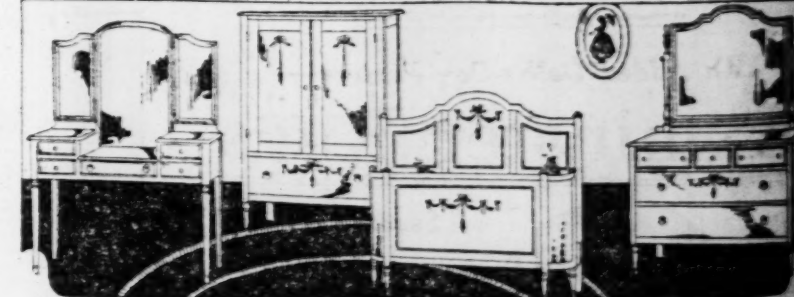
Solid mahogany Library Tables in Louis XIV Period design. Sizes 20x48 inches and 20x68 inches.

**Davenport Suites**  
**\$125 Value—\$82.50**

"Pullman" style Suites consisting of chair, rocker and sofa; davenport which opens into full-sized bed; upholstered in imitation leather.

**Spinet Desks**  
**\$50 Grade—\$37.50**

Dull rub mahogany finish; 26 inches long; sliding writing bed with chair.



**\$325 Bedroom Suites \$225**

Four-piece walnut Suites in excellent finish. Bow-end bed, 48-inch dresser, chiffonier and vanity dresser of dust-proof construction.



**\$525 Dining-Room Suites \$342.50**

Genuine Walnut Queen Anne Suites with solid walnut posts; 66-inch buffet, china cabinet, serving table, 8-foot extension table, 5 chairs and 1 armchair.

## Editorial Page Daily Cartoon

PART TWO.

## KEYNES, BRITISH WRITER, WOULD REPARATION TO

Advocates in New Book America Cancel Debts Reconstruction Under F

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LONDON, Jan. 25.—While allied statesmen are still struggling to reach an agreement regarding German reparations, and in that connection, liquidation of their own war debts, John Maynard Keynes, in his new book, significantly called "Revision of the Treaty," the sequel of his "Economic Consequences of Peace," gives a careful and scientifically reasoned solution of these problems. Regarding reparations, he recommends reduction of the present allied assessment from 135,000,000,000 gold marks (normally \$34,500,000,000) to 22,000,000,000 (normally about \$5,500,000,000). His attitude toward the question of the continental allies' debts to America is best explained by his own statement. Referring back to the German reparations problem, he says: "The same principles apply, with one modification, to the United States and to the exaction by her of the debts the allied Governments owe."

Keynes' method of arriving at his reparations figure is most interesting. He begins with the present assessed figure, 135,000,000,000 gold marks, the derivation whereof he analyzes in detail. He states his estimate, figured on the same principles more leniently applied, is 110,000,000,000. Of this \$4,800,000,000 is for "military pensions and allowances," 30,000,000,000 the damages, 6,000,000,000 for the Belgian war debt. Certain Claims Called Unjust. But, he contends, the claim for pensions and allowances is unjust under the armistice agreement, and therefore he reduces his final total of 110,000,000,000 to the remaining 75,000,000,000 gold marks. "A sum which it may not be in our interest to exact in full but which probably is within Germany's theoretical capacity to pay." Then he continues: "Payment by Germany of 5 per cent interest and a 1 per cent sinking fund on this total is not, in my judgment, theoretically impossible. But it could only be done by stimulating her export industries in a manner injurious and irritating to Great Britain and by imposing on her treasury a financial problem of such difficulty that it would tend to undermine her weak, unstable government. I recommend, therefore, that, as a separate arrangement from revision of the treaty, the British Empire should waive the whole of its claim, with the exception of 1,000,000,000 gold marks reserved for Austria and Poland, and should undertake to square the claims of Italy and the minor claimants by cancellation of debts owing from them, thus leaving Germany to pay 18,000,000,000 to France and 3,000,000,000 to Belgium—on the assumption that the United States would also forego the trifle due her.

"This sum should be discharged by an annual payment of 6 per cent—3 per cent interest and a 3 per cent sinking fund—over a period of 33 years. With the assistance of minor measures to ease the opening period, it is reasonable to suppose this amount could be paid without serious injury to anyone."

Summary of His Proposals. Summarizing this proposal, Keynes writes: "First, Great Britain, and, if possible, America, to cancel debts owing them from the Governments of Europe and to waive their claims to any share of German reparations. "Second, Germany to pay 1,000,000,000 gold marks per annum for 33 years and to hold available a lump sum of 1,000,000,000 gold marks for assistance to Poland and Austria.

"Third, this annual payment to be assigned in shares—1,000,000,000 marks to France, 100,000,000 to Belgium. Answering expected criticisms, Keynes says: "In the main, the substance of my suggestions is not novel. The new familiar project of reparations in part or entirety of reparations and inter-allied debts is a large and undeniable feature of them. But those who are not prepared for these measures must not forget that a serious interest in the reconstruction of Europe. A remedy lies not in popular arguments for prohibiting the form wherein Germany shall pay, but in reducing the aggregate amount to a reasonable figure."

Debts to Britain and America. Coincident with the proposal for drastic reduction of the German reparations total, Keynes takes up and analyzes the situation created by the allied debts to Great Britain and the continental allies' debts to America. He advocates their cancellation in great part or altogether. But he excludes the British debt to America from this arrangement. "This scheme," he says on this point, "is a footnote to the main argument. It is the right treatment of this debt—which differs from the others—because the interest on it is



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## TEXT OF U. S. STATEMENT OF ITS ATTITUDE ON JAPAN'S ARMED PRESENCE IN SIBERIA

Hughes States Facts of Exchanges of Notes and Assurances of Withdrawal of Japanese Troops.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—The attitude of the American Government toward Japanese occupation of Eastern Siberia was presented at the opening of today's meeting of the Far Eastern Committee. The American statement was read by Secretary Hughes. At the outset he referred to the Japanese declaration of intention presented Monday and continued:  
"The assurances are taken to mean that Japan does not seek, through her military operation in Siberia, to impair the rights of the Russian people in any respect, or to obtain any unfair commercial advantages or to absorb for her own use the Siberian fisheries, or to set up an exclusive exploitation either of her resources or of Sakhalin or of the maritime Province."  
Why Expedition Was Undertaken.  
"As Baron Shidehara pointed out, the military expedition of Japan to Siberia was originally undertaken in common accord and in co-operation with the United States. . . . The American Government set forth its aims and policies publicly in July, 1918. The purpose of the expedition was said to be, first, to help the Czech-Slovak consolidate their forces; second, to steady any efforts at self-government or self-defense in which the Russian themselves might be willing to accept assistance; and, third, to guard the military stores at Vladivostok. The American Government opposed the idea of a military intervention, but regarded military action as admissible at the time. . . ."

"The Japanese Government, with the same purpose, set forth its position in a statement published by the Japanese Government on Aug. 2, 1918, in which it was said:  
"The Japanese Government, being anxious to fall in with the desires of the American Government and also to act in harmony with the allies in this expedition, have decided to proceed at once to dispatch suitable forces for the proposed mission. A certain number of these troops will be sent forth to Vladivostok."  
"In adopting this military Japanese Government remain unshaken in their constant desire to promote relations of enduring friendship with Russia and the Russian people, and reaffirm their avowed policy of respecting the territorial integrity of Russia and of abstaining from all interference in her internal politics. They further declare that upon the realization of the projects above indicated they will immediately withdraw all Japanese troops from Russian territory and will have wholly unimpaired the sovereignty of Russia in all its phases, whether political or military."

U. S. Troops Withdrawn.  
"The United States of America withdrew its troops from Siberia in the spring of 1920 because it considered that the original purpose of the expedition had either been accomplished or would no longer be continued by continued military activity in Siberia. The American Government then ceased to be a party to the expedition, but it remained a close observer of events in Eastern Siberia and has had an extended diplomatic correspondence upon this subject with the Government of Japan."  
"It must be frankly avowed that this correspondence has not always disclosed an identity of views between the two Governments. The United States has not been unduly indulgent of the direct exposure of Japan to bolshevism in Siberia and the special problems which the conditions existing there have created for the Japanese Government, but it has been strongly disposed to the belief that the public assurances given by the two Governments at the inception of the joint expedition nevertheless required the complete withdrawal of Japanese troops from all Russian territory—if not immediately after the departure of the Czech-Slovak troops, then within a reasonable time."  
"As to the occupation of Sakhalin, in reprisal for the massacre of the Japanese at Nikolaievsk, the United States was not unimpressed by the

## LINE OF ATTACK ON PACIFIC TREATY IN SENATE INDICATED

Defeat Is the Objective, but, Failing in This, Irreconcilables Will Try to Amend Agreement.

### CHANGE WANTED TO SAFEGUARD CHINA

Four Powers Would Be Pledged to Respect Rights of All Nations, and Not to Go to War.

By CHARLES G. ROSS,  
Chief Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—The line which the opponents of the four-power Pacific treaty will take in the Senate has been indicated by one of the leaders of the group.  
Defeat of the treaty will be the objective. If this cannot be achieved, the efforts of the "irreconcilables" will be directed toward getting the treaty amended. Two principal changes probably will be urged.  
The first of these has to do with the articles in which the signatory Powers—the United States, France, Great Britain and Japan—agree to respect one another's rights in relation to their insular possessions and dominions in the Pacific.  
This section, according to senatorial critics of the treaty, should be amended so as to pledge the four nations to respect the rights of other nations as well as their own.  
China, in other words, should be safeguarded against encroachments on her territorial integrity by the four Powers. As the treaty now stands, it is contended, there is no in it to prevent the "looting" of China by the Powers, jointly or individually.  
If the treaty is not a militaristic alliance, run the argument, there should be no hesitancy on the part of the United States or any of the other Powers in accepting the proposed change.

By a second amendment, the opponents of the treaty in its present form would include the specific pledge that none but pacific measures shall be taken in the Pacific. This is the part which provides for consultation among the Powers to determine what measures shall be taken in response to possible threats against their rights by an outside nation.  
The proposed amendment would put into explicit terms the interpretation which has been placed upon the treaty by the administration, namely, that nothing in it requires the United States to go to war on behalf of any of the other parties to the agreement.

### TARIFF RECOMMENDATIONS ARE MADE BY U. S. COMMERCE BODY

Result of Referendum Provides for Flexible Charges Administered by "Quasi Judicial" Board.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Legislative provision for flexible tariff rates to be administered by a tariff adjustment board having "quasi judicial" powers is included among other, tariff regulations to which the Chamber of Commerce of the United States has been committed by a referendum vote of its membership as announced today.  
Other propositions adopted in the referendum were "a more complete protection for American industries in destructive competition" maintaining the "anti-dumping principle," encouragement of export trade and adequate tariff measures to meet foreign discrimination.  
The vote on the question of the American valuation basis for levying duties was announced at 879 for and 823 against, lacking the necessary two-thirds majority to commit the chamber.

### STEWART'S DAUGHTER CHECKED TAX ON FOREIGN VISITORS IS PLAN OF BERLIN HOUSEWIVES

By the Associated Press.  
BERLIN, Jan. 23.—The Housewives' League has petitioned the City Council to levy a tax of 1000 marks on a person on foreigners who remain in Berlin more than five days. A heavy luxury tax also is being levied on foreigners, particularly on those with reference to those places where persons are charged as much as a thousand marks for a bottle of French champagne.  
The league desires an assessment of a thousand on family consumption on caviar, truffles and pineapples, as well as a general tax on "too high family life."

### DAUGHTERY CALLED "PUBLICITY SEEKER"

By the Associated Press.  
DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 23.—Attorney-General Daugherty was severely criticized on the floor of the House today by a group of Texas Hardware and Implement Association here yesterday for charges of profiteering on the part of retail merchants. Herbert P. Daugherty, president of the National Association of Retail Hardware Men, characterized Daugherty's accusation as the act of a publicity seeker who could find nothing else to do to attract attention.

## LORD NORTHCLIFFE ANALYZES SITUATION IN INDIA, BLAMING ENGLISH POLICY FOR HOSTILITY OF MOSLEMS TO WHITES

British Publisher Finds That Hindus and Mohammedans, for First Time in Indian History, Have a Common Ground in New Attitude.

### PROGRAM OUTLINED BY MOSLEMS FOR RESTORING TRANQUILITY IN INDIA

By the Associated Press.  
BOMBAY, Jan. 23.—Lord Northcliffe, the British newspaper publisher, has given Reuters an analysis of the situation in India, after an examination covering 10 days, which he says he believes accurately represents the views of the Government and the leading newspaper publishers of India.  
"Returning to India after 25 years' absence," said Lord Northcliffe in his analysis, "I am shocked at the change of demeanor and acts toward the whites by both Hindus and Mohammedans, especially those of them who formerly were most friendly. For the first time in Indian history, they are acting in close combination. I interrogated more than 100 Moslems of every class and sect, and they are unanimous."  
Lord Northcliffe enumerated the various districts he had visited, and said that in all of them, as well as in the Dutch Indies, the attitude of the Moslems was one of sullen silence or outspoken hostility.  
Women's Attitude a Sign.  
He said one distinguished royal Mohammedan judge told him the most dangerous sign was that women were becoming infected with anti-British poison, adding that all students of Islam knew what that meant. Lord Northcliffe, noting the large number of Indians wearing white caps, denoting their adherence to the principles of M. K. Gandhi, the non-co-operation leader, said: "The loyal Mohammedans demand the instant arrest of Gandhi, saying this would prevent extremist outbreaks. But peace cannot be assured until the Moslem question is adjusted. The Moslems bitterly resent our attitude, after having caused Moslem to fight Moslem in Mesopotamia. The recent loan to Greece is especially resented."  
Lord Northcliffe explained the demands of the moderate Moslems substantially as follows:  
"All Moslem countries intensely resent the British policy regarding Turkey. They feel most deeply the slight which they consider has been put on the Caliphate. They revere the Sultan as Roman Catholics re-

### GERMAN SHIPBUILDING IN 1921 BROKE ALL RECORDS

Total of 509,064 Tons Turned Out—Gain Exceeds That of All Nations Except U. S. and Britain.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—German shipbuilding, according to Lloyd's register of shipping, in its annual report made public yesterday, exceeded during 1921 their best previous year in ship construction.  
Lunchen by Germany, the report says, totaled 509,064 gross tons, or 42,000 tons more than the gain for all other countries except America and Great Britain.  
The most significant figure of the German returns, however, the report states, is that they show that the shipyards of Germany have now more than regained their pre-war production of 500,000 gross tons a year, during 1913 aggregated 465,000 gross tons, and as that was the record year for launches of merchant ships in Germany, last year's total sets a new figure.  
While the production during 1921 for the world was 2,802,000 gross tons less than in the record year of 1913, it was more than a million tons in excess of the 1913 world total. The output for the pre-war year and for the record year of production are shown in the following table:

	1913	1921
United States	4,075,385	1,932,000
United Kingdom	1,620,442	276,000
Other countries	1,448,722	1,124,000
Totals	7,144,549	3,332,000

### I. W. W. MEMBER TO BE FREED PRIOR TO HIS DEPORTATION

William Weygh, Convicted With "Big Bill" Haywood, Now in Hospital.

By the Associated Press.  
LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Jan. 23.—Upon condition that he keep in communication with immigration officials and report for deportation to Germany, his native land, upon his recovery, William Weygh, I. W. W. member convicted in Chicago with "Big Bill" Haywood, will be released from the Federal Penitentiary here immediately. It was announced last night by Warden W. I. Biddle, who today received orders for Weygh's commutation of sentence.

### WAR MATERIAL DISPOSAL

Considerable emotion has been caused in parliamentary circles by the announcement in Paris newspapers that the French Government had agreed to sell to the Kemalists regarding the handling over of uniforms and a certain number of Mauser rifles, which were stored in Syria. It was officially confirmed, although the material involved is said to be insignificant in comparison to the estimate of 200,000,000 francs.

### ROYAL MOHAMMEDAN JUDGE TOLD INVESTIGATOR MOST DANGEROUS AND SIGNIFICANT SIGN IS THAT WOMEN ARE BECOMING INFECTED WITH ANTI-BRITISH FEELING.

be to create an Armenian independent state, with British resident to protect it, similar to some of the native states in India. The second solution, I gather, is to invite the Armenians to leave what the Moslems call the bleak and impoverished country and migrate southward around the Gulf of Alexandretta, where they would be protected from the north and west by the Taurus Mountains, and we could protect them from the sea.  
Solution Is Hinted At.  
"I consider that the opinion of the Indian Mohammedans and well informed Englishmen is that, by the above plan, we should show ourselves protectors of religions and play the game by our Indian Mohammedan people, who maintain that they played it so gallantly during the war."  
In concluding his analysis, Lord Northcliffe said:  
"I express no opinions, but the Moslem situation is much sadder than the home press appears to know. I submitted this statement to official, commercial and press authorities, who, while not necessarily approving of the details, insist on the urgency of a complete and rapid settlement of the Moslem impasse."  
Prince's Indian Visit Called "Ghastly Failure" by Writers.  
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LONDON, Jan. 23.—The Morning Post prints a letter from "an Englishman who holds a very responsible position in India," admitting that the Prince of Wales' visit has been "a ghastly failure." He says:  
"The whole idea in bringing the Prince to India was to obtain a declaration of at least a show of loyalty to the British Empire from the people of India. It was in fact a challenge to the disloyal party. That challenge has been taken up, and I am bound to say the disloyal party has won all along the line."  
"In the native states, where there is an absolute autocratic rule, the repercussions have been splendid."

### GERMAN AND BRITISH VIEWS BOTHER FRANCE

Revision of Peace Treaties and Lloyd George's Genoa Agenda Disturb Paris Diplomats.

By the Associated Press.  
PARIS, Jan. 23.—The French Government, because of information received from Berlin, is much preoccupied by what it regards as the possibility of an agreement between the German and Russian Governments with a view to forcing consideration of revision of the peace treaties. It was indicated at the Foreign Office today that that office has been advised that Karl Radek of the soviet diplomatic forces was in Berlin, together with several other soviet representatives, engaging in conferences with representatives of the German Government.  
Premier Lloyd George's interpretation of the Genoa conference, the conference, holding that the first subject discussed be that of general European peace, also is disturbing French official circles, where further light is desired as to just what peace questions the British Prime Minister has in mind.

### ICE-BREAKERS FOR PETROGRAD

Correspondence of the Associated Press.  
REVAL, Estonia, Jan. 1.—Two huge ice-breaking cruisers, the Alexander Nevsky and the Svyatogor, have just been sent to Petrograd by British naval authorities to keep that Russian port open this winter if possible.

They were built for Russia in the world war and were used by the allies at Archangel and in the White Sea during the occupancy of the Archangel district by American and other allied troops. They are among the largest ice-breakers in the world and are so constructed as to break the ice around them by rolling as well as by pushing through the ice ahead of them.

At Angora, had agreed to turn over to the Kemalists war material which the newspapers estimated as being worth 200,000,000 francs.

The fact that Boulton treated with the Kemalists regarding the handling over of uniforms and a certain number of Mauser rifles, which were stored in Syria, was officially confirmed, although the material involved is said to be insignificant in comparison to the estimate of 200,000,000 francs.



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I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be drastically independent; never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER.  
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## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

### What of the Traffic Laws?

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I SHOULD like to inquire through your columns what has become of some of the laws that we used to read about regarding automobiles, traffic, etc.

Let us start on a trip downtown, commencing at Delmar and Hamilton.

An outsider would think that Delmar boulevard was given over to senseless drivers only, but I've lived here quite a while and I've never heard of such an order.

It seems they can run or stop just as they take a notion. It's nothing to see six or seven cars stopped waiting for one of those drivers to coax a passenger out of the crowds waiting for a McCulloch special.

We go farther down and the same thing is found in the shopping district, only this time it is a large, well-limousine, and out comes a girl all decked in furs.

Of course, this car is driven by a uniformed chauffeur, so it is privileged to stop most anywhere as long as it wants.

Now let us start for home. It's getting dark and lights are lit. The right of way, of course, belongs to the large cars, unless you've got enough nerve to stand up for your rights, and show them that you're just as anxious to get home as they are, and don't move just because you're afraid of getting hit.

Then come the lights. We used to have an ordinance requiring all lights to be tested. Don't know where that ordinance is now unless it's been changed to read: "Illuminate the street from curb to curb, making sure that the light throws most of its rays to the left, preferably at an angle so as to reach the eyes of the driver coming in the opposite direction."

If you reach home without an accident you are lucky. I know these facts to be true, because I drive to town every day and take it from there, there's a difference in the treatment you receive, depending on which kind of a car you drive.

N. O. L.

### How It Became a Law.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

PROHIBITION became a law from an act of both houses of Congress of the United States, ratified by the Senates of the individual states.

Whether we like prohibition or not, unless we uphold and abide by laws so made, our present form of Government is a failure.

If we are to pass laws and then canvass our courts, juries, police officers, politicians and some of our newspapers to ascertain if they object to its enforcement, and if so, we are to declare the law a farce, the plan of Government is drifting in a dangerous direction, and the men who are paid and sworn to sustain the laws and Constitution of the United States are stronger than the Government. These are plain facts. Are we willing to admit them?

R. L. ROGERS.

### That Wabash Switch.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

RECENTLY on Tuesday afternoon, too late to make a protest, after the courts were closed, the Wabash Railroad laid a surface switch across Duncan avenue, not far from some of the best institutions of St. Louis, such as the William S. School, Barnes Hospital, St. John's Hospital.

Many of the property owners in the immediate vicinity of this switch have all they possess invested in these homes. If this switch is allowed to remain what will there be to prevent the Wabash Railroad from laying this switch without the consent or knowledge of property owners seems unfair.

A number of places in St. Louis could be cited where residence property has been injured and its value all but destroyed by just such a policy as this. It is unjust to property owners.

### Rats—Treat 'em Rough.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

GET rid of the rats! It is just as necessary a slogan as "Beat the fly." Such is the conclusion of officers of the Child Conservation Conference and at their meeting Tuesday, Jan. 24, from 2 to 4:30 in the Board of Education assembly room, the representatives from St. Louis school organizations will hear an address on "Rats as a Menace to the Health of Our Children" by one who is aiding in the fight now being waged against these rodents.

A speaker from the Safety Council will talk on "Safety in the Home" and an interesting and instructive program is promised.

MRS. N. M. WINDSOR, President.

### That Coal Contract.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I DO not understand the gas company's reason for wanting to give us poorer gas. Are they still losing money? Wasn't the increase we were compelled to pay enough for them? I think it is about time the commission was ordering a lower price for gas, instead of considering a lowering of the standard of gas, which is equivalent to another increase in price. Would we be paying the present price for gas if the gas company's directors had not made the contract for coal at war-time prices? If the stockholders had to bear that loss they would take steps to recall that contract. Let everyone who does not want to spend more time and money preparing meals write a protest to the City Council. There should be 200,000 protests instead of the 200 the Council has received. Then if the Post-Dispatch will kindly assist us, we will surely win this time.

AWAKE.

## BAD PRINCIPLE, BAD POLICY.

We do not doubt Secretary Mellon's business ability, but his plea for a constitutional amendment forbidding the issue of tax-exempt bonds by Federal, state or municipal governments is a sad reflection on his statesmanship.

Now that the war is over and the danger passed there is much criticism of the policy of issuing tax-exempt Liberty Bonds to obtain war funds. The criticism is based on the theory that money put into the bonds ought to be in industry. It is a shortsighted view. The paramount concern of the whole country was the winning of the war, and the war could not be won without the expenditure of billions. The Government had to have billions. No other end compared in vital importance to the country with the successful prosecution of the war. Everything was staked on that.

There was not a banker in the country who believed that the Government could sell more than a billion of Liberty Bonds, but it sold many billions, and through untaxed securities of various kinds raised all the billions necessary to win the war.

If the object of the amendment is to keep money out of Government securities by taxation, then it will be hard for the Government to raise money when it is needed. If it is to obtain more revenue, the policy would be a failure, because the Government would pay out in increased interest what it gains in taxation. Capital cannot be controlled except by confiscation.

It would be unwise policy to bind the Government to the policy of taxing its own securities, regardless of its needs, and the policy of taxing state and municipal securities is utterly wrong in principle. If the Federal Government has the power to tax state and municipal securities it can control the issue of such securities and the amount of interest the states and municipalities must pay for public improvement bonds. Certainly no better use of money can be found than to apply it to needed public improvements, such as good roads, public buildings, waterworks, parks, playgrounds, sewers, streets, utilities, the necessities of state and municipal life and of public health.

There could be no greater and more dangerous invasion of the rights and powers of the states than the exercise by the Federal Government of power to tax state and municipal bonds. It would in effect be direct taxation of states and municipalities. It would involve power to control their finances. It would be unwise policy from any standpoint.

Merely because we happen to need large revenues to meet war debts shall we thrust aside sound principles which have guided us aright and wise policies which have conserved constitutional free government and the public welfare?

Do our representatives in Congress represent the people of the states or the power-hungry Federal Government?

## THE HOTEL TELEPHONE RATE.

The Public Service Commission has finally taken cognizance of one of the meanest of the many hotel grafts, namely, the charge of 10 cents for a telephone message, and has cited a number of hotel proprietors to explain by what authority they make this charge.

That the hotel men had ample authority to double the price for telephone messages cannot be doubted, though whether their explanation will be satisfactory to the commission is not sure. Anyhow, this was their authority: That the guests were helpless; they had to pay any price the hotels fixed. The proprietors could just as easily have raised the price to 15 cents in those ardent, do-your-bit war times, but they patriotically refused to go beyond a dime.

It is time now for that telephone graft to cease.

## A STORY OF THRIFT.

The capital-prize story of Thrift Week came from Joplin, Mo. The hero, a bellboy, seems to have had the genuine Ben Franklin clutch, that is to say, the adhesive-plaster palm. A dime on which his fingers closed was then and there a life prisoner. Thus, after three or four frugal years the youth's savings amounted to \$8000, which he has invested in a farm. He has renounced Joplin and its gay white way. He has waved adieu to the city's marble halls. For him henceforth the drowsy tinklings, the innocent glebe, the solace of pastoral calm.

The magazines consecrated to the god of Get There will doubtless recount this boy's achievement. But is there not more to this story than denial and its unavoidable reward? Is not this thrift worthy of a place in the literature of prohibition triumph? Would it have been possible for the most nimble and prudent bellboy to have accumulated such a competence in so short a period in the old, wicked, prevalent era?

Though critics deride, prohibition has created a

## number of new and lucrative enterprises and has also enhanced the gainful opportunities of certain old-established lines.

Among the latter is the profession of bellboy. Once a mere drawer of water, the bellboy is now an entrepreneur, a liaison officer, so to speak, between deplorable demand and mysterious, regrettable supply. And the perquisites thereabouts are always substantial, often handsome, sometimes magnificent.

So much may be said for prohibition as a matter of truth and justice and joy.

## A CONFESSION OF DEFEAT.

The Harding administration would like to be represented at the Genoa economic conference. It knows it ought to be. It knows the conclusions reached by its official representation on the Inter-American High Commission. That representation, or section, concluded that the disordered economic situation of the world was not a cause of deplorable economic conditions but an effect; that the exchange situation would improve only as the world's economic recovery goes on; that economic recovery both in the United States and abroad is dependent on foreign trade; that "the trade of the United States is suffering more from this derangement (the derangement of currencies) than that of any other country because its currency is at a premium with respect to practically every other country;" and that "from an economic point of view, the method of utilization (of our surplus gold) is by the investment of capital abroad."

These are some of the basic facts of the situation to be grappled with by the Genoa conference. Yet, it is understood in Washington that America will not be represented at the conference. The administration makes as its pretext the refusal of France to discuss reparations and the inability of the Senate to ratify the arms conference treaties and thus free the hands of the administration to engage in a new conference before the conference enters into session. But the reason it gives for not urging immediate ratification of the treaties is that domestic legislation must come first! In view of the findings of its own representatives on the Inter-American High Commission as outlined above can any domestic legislation have as important a bearing on American domestic conditions as the work to be undertaken by the Genoa conference?

The order of procedure adopted by the administration represents victory for the "isolation bloc." But the administration, itself a child of the isolation policy, has interposed no objection to it. With the facts of world economic demoralization in plain view, catalogued by its own representatives, it seeks relief for America in the passage of the bonus and tariff bills!

Reduced to its lowest terms this situation means nothing more nor less than a confession by the administration of its utter incompetence in international affairs and its decision to bury its head in the sand of domestic politics even though domestic conditions call first for intelligent international action. America should participate in the Genoa conference. Responsibility for nonparticipation lies with the administration, and for the consequences it must answer at the bar of public opinion.

## THE OPPOSITION TO LLOYD GEORGE.

The movement formally launched against Lloyd George by Independent Liberals is a logical development of English politics. A Premier has to fight to retain his place. The British plan of Government organization may have its defects, but, generally speaking, the uncertainty of the Premier's tenure is advantageous from the public viewpoint. If it requires opportunism, it also makes for a more responsive administration.

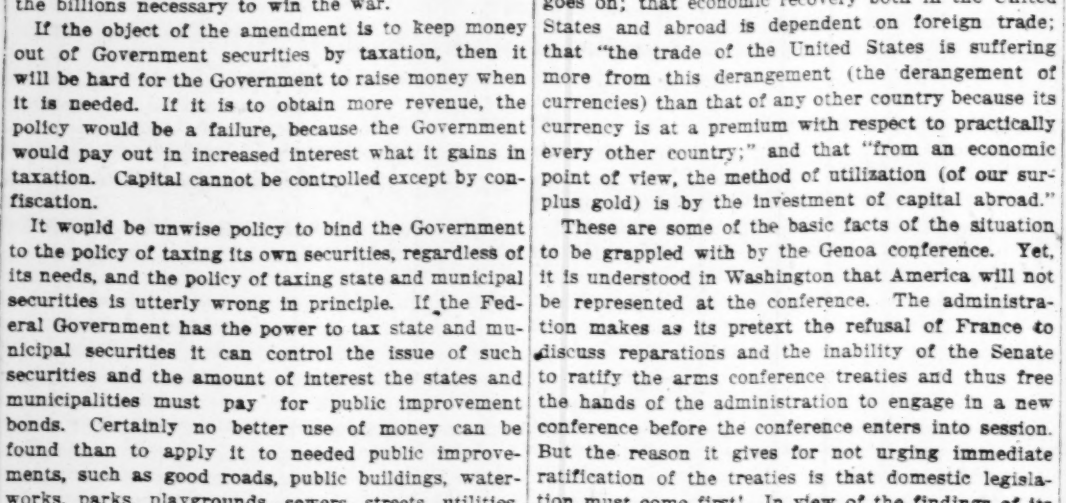
The strained relations between France and England to which the opposition points are unfortunate, of course, though outside of England no consequential opinion holds Lloyd George at fault. The fault is chargeable to reactionary France, to the ravages of the Poincare element and the swagger of a renascent militarism.

Efforts to hold Lloyd George accountable for cooling French affection are unconvincing on this side of the water, but a severer term would have to be used to characterize Mr. Asquith's attempt to rob the Premier of credit for the Irish settlement. Possibly that settlement should have been made two or three years ago, as Mr. Asquith asserts. Really, it should have been made two or three hundred years ago. It is of record that Mr. Asquith himself as Premier had a fine opportunity to settle the Irish question on easier terms eight years ago and failed for lack of courage and vision.

Sooner or later Lloyd George will fail, but at present he is at the crest of his constructive leadership, and, reigning or routed, the Irish Free State is the present Premier's biggest claim on history.

## UNEMPLOYED.

(From the Montgomery Advertiser.)



## JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH  
By Clark McDams

### HERBERT MYRICK, editor of Farm and Home, at Springfield, O., wants the United States to take over the navies of the European Powers which owe us money and sink the armada, with all flags flying, 10 miles deep in the Pacific Ocean!

This is sort of thing occupying the time of the National Agricultural Conference, now in session at Washington. Of course, the European nations which owe us money would let us come here and get their navies. There would not be any trouble about that.

### Why is it people lose their heads when they talk to farmers? Politicians always do it. The editor of a farm paper fairly lives in the clouds. Just a Minute thought, and before the farmers' conference yesterday, very soon got to saying things he did not mean and out of which nobody can make anything.

Nevertheless, this spectacular suggestion fairly expresses what most people feel about navies, the caution with which the Powers approach our proposal to limit them, the intolerable burden they impose upon us and the folly of hoping for peace so long as they cruise about looking for trouble. When Mr. Wells came over to the disarmament conference he hoped to see the nations completely disarm. He thought they all had their stomachs full of war, and it was a grievous disappointment to him when he found that no such thing was possible. This was what the two-story thinkers of the farmers in session at Washington would discover that this is probably what most of them think. Did you read the clipping on this page a few days ago from the Nation, in which it was related that a former President of the United States had his warships out on the bank? What happened? Nothing. At least, so Mr. Villard said, and like as not unpreparedness has saved us as many wars as preparedness has cost.

### What the people in authority about Washington will tell this Ohio editor is that he goes too far. That is what the people in authority have told the pacifists for thousands of years. They went too far. Thus we have fought always, and now we are in hell's hole because we had too big a war and somehow cannot get over the consequences of it. The truth is that the people in authority went too far. They always go too far. They went too far at Washington. Had they proposed to scrap the whole American navy, inviting the other Powers to follow our example and have an end to war-making, they would have made merely comparing with war seem by comparison detestable.

Some time ago we said that we knew of no one going to pieces with Mr. Wells that our civilization is going to pieces. We have found someone since. He is W. M. Flinders Petrie, the archeologist. The archeologist has the advantage of seeing our civilization in comparison with prior civilizations with which he is more intimately familiar than most of us are. He sees unmistakable signs of our finish. One of these is the widespread indisposition to work. We will never work again, so he says. We may play at working, as other civilizations have, but as for taking our coats off and really getting down to it again—we never will! Ask any workman.

Another unfailing sign of decay is our inordinate love of amusement. Every other civilization had the same weakness in its latter days. What Rome was failing the Roman people cared for nothing but the baths and the circus, which were to that time what the movies and automobiles are to us. There is a point, so he seems to believe, beyond which no civilization ever goes. They bloom and they die. There are 10 times as many theaters in London

### now as there were 20 years ago. Two old museums, which had existed for hundreds of years, have been dismembered and made over into movie theaters. Many churches and castles have been similarly transformed. Mr. Petrie says there have been seven civilizations on the Mediterranean, each rising hopefully and all going down in a saturnalia of about what we have now.

### NEGRO PREFERS JAIL TO LIFE UNDER G. O. P.

In the Circuit Court at Caruthersville, Mo., last week, a negro pleaded guilty to a charge of grand larceny and was by Judge McCarty sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. The defendant objected to the term of his sentence and requested the Judge to make the prison term three years. When asked by his honor why he preferred a three-year sentence to one of two years, the convicted man replied: "At the end of a three-year term the Republicans will be out of office and it won't be necessary to steal." His reasoning being well founded, the request was granted.—Chester Herald.

### Sir: The bookish Publishers' Weekly, New York, says that the most amusing book is "Pepys' Diary." Ought to be two in that author's name.

CHARLES SECOND.

### Sir: The printing, in a St. Louis paper of recent date, of the full question-and-answer testimony in a local divorce case served chiefly to exhibit "English as she is spoke" in our courts. These sentences are taken from the stenographer's transcript:

Q. Did you ever quarrel at him or contrary him? A. No, sir.

Q. How often did he quarrel at you? A. Every day.

Q. When he quarreled at you, did you quarrel at him, too? A. No, sir.

Q. Was he drunk or sober when he was quarrelsome at you? A. Sober, usually.

That lawyer must have been the original "at-a-boy."

### Generally speaking a woman's idea of keeping the home neat is to keep the husband away from it.—Dayton News.

### ROBERT BURNS.

For forty-two years, that's the age of the clans Who started their life in this city. A prominent part of their annual plans Is the work of the Concert Committee. And that is the cause of this ditty.

The principal reason this committee shows Is to do all the work, to entertain those Who love Robbie Burns—that's all—And this is the annual call.

There never has been, since the world began, A poet more loved than Burns. He sang of the freedom and rights of man, And his work produced returns. Yes, the whole world honors Burns.

And so the committee, as usual, has planned As is done, on this day, o'er the earth, With singers and dancers, and Seymour's Band, To honor the day of his birth. An evening of music and mirth.

The bagpipes will play for the Highland fling, And the kilt will be the colors enhance. The best songs of Robbie the singers will sing—Of valor, of love and romance.

At the clans' annual concert and dance.

N. WALTER MACINTYRE.

## ANOTHER CLOSED DOOR.

## GERMAN REPARATIONS.

From the Kreuz Zeitung (Germany).

WE MUST turn our attention principally to purifying the world atmosphere which has been poisoned by adverse propaganda. We must proclaim our rights without wavering, especially among the neutrals, and we must work methodically to obtain the revision of the Versailles treaty. In order to do this we must have a settled program which should be as follows: Germany recognizes her duty of collaborating to the utmost limit of her power in the reconstruction of Europe and in the recovery of the world's economic wealth. Since we were defeated we mean sincerely to carry out the reparations within the limit of our power, that is to say, to repair as far as possible the devastations caused by the war. But, as Keynes pointed out recently, the reparations comprise at the most a third of the charges put upon us, the other two-thirds pertaining to the payment of pensions, being in violation of the armistice agreement. The reparations to which we must devote ourselves must be the reconstruction of the French devastated regions in conformity with the real needs of the two peoples, and not in the spirit of the disastrous treaty of Versailles. In the second place, the recovery of ruined Russia, which is a menace of disaster for the whole world and is most important for world economic conditions. It is for that reason the real duty of reconstructing Germany can undertake this task to the profit of the reparations treasury. By this means even many French billions, lost in Russia, will be saved.

## THE AIR-NITRATE INDUSTRY.

From the Nation's Business.

AMERICA, despite her wealth and progress is at least 15 years behind countries like Germany, Norway, Canada, France and even Japan in the production of nitrogen fertilizers. Though we are rich in nitrates, till very lately we had not made a pound of air nitrates for use on our hard-tilled soil. Of all great nations we are practically the only one which has not seized this beneficent boon of science—a gift that can save us from famine, quare crop yields and rising food prices. Germany alone has built up an air-nitrate industry with an annual output of millions of tons, freed her forever from dependence on Chile, making her plentiful food crops, powder is plentiful when needed again, and even actually enabling her to export this product of the air and soil for good money. America's hope to relieve the situation lies in the Muscle Shoals project, the no matter who may finish this project, the day it starts making air nitrates will be a red-letter day in the annals of American agriculture. It will be only a beginning—for even if Germany's maximum capacity, this plant could produce one-fifth of our actual needs.

## POLOGIES AND WEAPONS IN WAR.

From the New Republic.

THE submarine, when used as a commerce destroyer, is, as the British delegation claimed in Washington, a weapon of aggression, but it is aggressive in the same sense and only in the same sense that the blockade is aggressive. It is susceptible of being used by an aggressive military nation as a dangerous and efficient weapon of attack. For that reason the New Republic would like to see it abolished, just as we would like to see the capital ship abolished. The weapons there are of this kind in existence, the less likely nations will be to yield to the feelings of aggressive ambition. But the world will not get rid of aggressive weapons by deciding nations to use them in the most aggressive manner. In the last analysis aggression is a matter of policy rather than of arms. What the nations need is a general political ordinance against aggressive political policy, against aggressive military and naval weapons.

## A LARGE AUDIENCE HEARS

## MORNING CHORAL CLUB

Feature of Program Is Cantata, "Pan's Flute," by Carl Busch of Kansas City.

A large audience at the Odeon last night heard the Morning Choral Club and its assisting artists present a program of interesting music, the feature of which was a setting of Browning's poem, "Pan's Flute," by Carl Busch, conductor of the former Kansas City Symphony orchestra.

Busch's cantata for women's voices, fitted accompanied by a flute and a baritone, appeared at first hearing a work of much imagination, zest and freshness. The flute part, played by John F. Kilbuck, seemed, with its primitive intervals, a telling description of the rustic deity's first experience with the reed he had hewed from the river, and then his rapture in the trills and roulades of which the newly invented instrument proved capable.

Edgar Scholfield, baritone, had the voice part in the cantata, and in addition sang the "Vision Fugue" aria from the "Herodiade," Giacomo's "Vittoria," Millo's "Pavane," "The Angelus," a Breton folksong, Greenhill's setting of the lyric, "I'm a Peddler," from "A Winter's Tale," Arthur Somerville's song to "Birds in the High Hall," Henry Tennyson's "Maud," and Walter Kramer's dramatic piece, "The Great Awakening."

The soloist was at his most expressive in two spirituals, "Standin' in the Need of Prayer," and "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot," and in a ditty concerning a wounded British "Tommy" in hospital. Scholfield pleaded fatigue and a sore throat.

The women's chorus, directed by Charles Galloway, sang to the obvious satisfaction of its audience, "The Miller's Daughter," by Brahms; Deodato's "Madonna, Benedicite," translated and arranged by Deems Taylor; Edith Forsythe's "London Bridge Is Broken Down," with soprano solo by Mrs. Charles E. Blankenship; W. H. Hastings' "Rock-a-Bye," and Schubert's waltz ditty, "The Song of the Lark," with a few solo phrases and a lively cadenza charmingly done by Mrs. Hector Pasmengier.

## MUNICIPAL OPERA STUDENTS HAVE TRYOUT AS SINGERS

Directors for Henry W. Savage Hear About 250 Aspirants for Chorus.

About 250 St. Louis singers applied at the American Theater yesterday to sing in the Municipal Opera Chorus, which is being organized by Henry W. Savage, director of the Municipal Opera Chorus Training School, who later are selected for work in the summer opera season.

Hirschfeld said that he found a great number of applicants who showed talent. He said the ability of many was superior to that visiting New York for the purpose of obtaining stage work.

## BRITISH EDITOR'S SUIT FOR CRIMINAL LIBEL COLLAPSES

London Bottomley's Prosecution of Man Who Said "England Is a Sland"

(Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.) LONDON, Jan. 24.—Horatio Bottomley's prosecution of Reuben Bigland for criminal libel has collapsed in a sudden and dramatic fashion at the Old Bailey.

Bigland had published charges that the Thrift Bond Clubs conducted by Bottomley were swindles and that the thousands of subscribers to the scheme had been virtually robbed. Bottomley had collected several millions of dollars, almost all from the poorer classes.

Bottomley, a member of Parliament and publicist known for his anti-American views, was expected to make a strong fight in defense of his reputation.

Mr. Edward Marshall-Hall, King's Counsel and leader of the criminal bar, appearing for the editor, asked for an adjournment. He explained that the official examination of the accounts of the various issues of the Thrift Bonds had not been completed. Bigland's counsel, Comyns Carr, objected. Judge Colclough refused the request for adjournment.

The editor, who had a voluminous brief before him, instead of making a statement, in view of the Judge's decision, he would offer no evidence. The Court at once directed a verdict of acquittal.

Bottomley recently resigned the editorship of John Bull, which he founded, but he continues to conduct one of the most influential newspapers in the world.

He is an advocate of the "honest government."

## Degree for Rachmannoff.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 25.—Sergei Rachmannoff, the Russian pianist, was given the honorary degree of Doctor of Music by the University of Nebraska yesterday.







# News of New Books and Those Who Write Them

Nietzsche-Wagner Correspondence, Edited by a Woman Relative of the Prophet of the Mailed Fist. Lays Bare the Relations Between Two of the Greatest Intellectual and Artistic Giants of Their Age—Other Reviews.

By Otto Heller.  
ARCH-FIEND OR PROPHET OF HOPE?

SELECTED LETTERS OF FRIEDRICH NIETZSCHE, edited by Oscar Levy, Translated by A. M. Lindqvist. (Doubleday, Page Co.)

THE NIETZSCHE-WAGNER CORRESPONDENCE, edited by Elizabeth Förster-Nietzsche, Translated by Caroline V. Kerr. (Boni & Liveright)

At the outbreak of the war the world went "nuts" on the subject of Friedrich Nietzsche, whose philosophy lent itself admirably to the grossest purposeful misrepresentation. The popular mind dwelt in such total darkness about him as to be receptive towards the most preposterous assertions concerning his practical aims. Previously, translations of two or three of his volumes had found their way to some of the "intellectuals." That was about the extent of the American public's acquaintance with the greatest philosophic fanatic of all times, when somebody perpetrated the graceless joke of holding the author of "This Spoke Zarathustra," co-responsible for the dreams and ambitions of world imperialism. For the few who knew something about Nietzsche the allegation contained about as much common sense as if the blame for the Spanish-American war were to be laid at the door of Don Quixote of La Mancha or of Prof. Bergson.

It is in 1918 I presented some cogent evidence—so I thought—against the assumption that Nietzsche intentionally aroused or nourished a spirit of war prophesied in any way a national movement of the German people for conquest or preponderance. Pan-Germanism could indeed have found its ammunition more easily in the writings of the Frenchman Gobineau or the Englishman Houston Stewart Chamberlain than in the works of Nietzsche, not a single line of which could be shown to aid and abet Teutonic aggressiveness in any form whatsoever. In J. A. Cranley's Oxford lectures on "Germany and England" it is convincingly pointed out how thoroughly Nietzsche was detested by that protagonist of Prussianism, Heinrich von Treitschke, to whom by reason of being professedly a "good European" he was of necessity a poor German, and a bad Prussian.

It was an amazing experience for me to be slammed by that past-master of the critical punchbag, Mr. H. L. Mencken, for a fair and factual defense of Nietzsche. And an amazing experience, too, because chance would have it that the passage he pounced upon was not of my personal connection at all, but a quotation, quoted, verbatim (with Mail Street given) from a very excellent article in the Atlantic Monthly, written, in persona, by H. L. Mencken (whom I should consider the best qualified critic of Nietzsche in America—and the best qualified critic of literature in general)—were he not so incurably given to a sensational and "mountebankish" juggling of the values.

At the risk of drawing renewed elemental fire from the Jupiter Jannets of the Smart Set, I will quote once again from "The Mailed Fist and Its Prophet" his striking disproof of Nietzsche's Prussianism by the latter's ferocious indictment of the countryman. "He accused the Germans of stupidity, superstitions, and sickness; of a chronic weakness of dodging issues, a 'fugitive' 'barnyard' and 'green-pasture' sentiment, of yielding supremacy to the commands and exactions of a clumsy and unintelligent Government; of degrading education to the level of mere cramming and examination passing; of a congenital inability to understand and absorb the culture of other peoples, and particularly the culture of the French; of a boorish bumpiness and an ignorant, ostentatious complacency; of a systematic hostility to men of genius, whether in art, science, or philosophy; of a slavish devotion to the two great European narcotics, alcohol and Christianity; of a profound beeriness, a spiritual dyspepsia, a puerile mysticism, an old-womanish pettiness, and an irredeemable liking for the obscure, revolting, crepuscular, damp, and ghoul-like."

The two volumes of letters now available for the American reader supply abundant refutation of the

## In the Contribution Box

"THE FOUNDATIONS OF PERSONALITY," by A. Myerson. (Little, Brown & Co.)

THE widespread interest in psychology and the rapid growth of New Thought movements is due in some measure to a realization on the part of many that they are living far below the level of their possible selves and to the conviction that they have within them forces and resources which, if understood and rightly used, would raise them from weakness to strength, from sickness to health, and from anxiety to serenity and peace. They are, therefore, seeking guidance. In some cases the answer is given by charlatans who seek to exploit this eagerness to learn. But there are also good books written by those who are both psychologists and medical men, books which enable thoughtful readers to do for themselves what others else do for them. Among those who have recently performed this real service is Dr. Myerson, a practicing physician and professor of neurology. A genial, easy-going man, he has produced a readable book on personality, its complex physical conditions, its characteristic types, its disorders, and their causes. He discusses hysteria, subconsciousness, and Freudianism, energy release and the emotions, sex characters and domesticity, disharmonies and the evolution of harmony in life, and the many cases cited for purposes of illustration from his private practice give concrete types, their disorders, and their causes. He discusses hysteria, subconsciousness, and Freudianism, energy release and the emotions, sex characters and domesticity, disharmonies and the evolution of harmony in life, and the many cases cited for purposes of illustration from his private practice give concrete types, their disorders, and their causes. He discusses hysteria, subconsciousness, and Freudianism, energy release and the emotions, sex characters and domesticity, disharmonies and the evolution of harmony in life, and the many cases cited for purposes of illustration from his private practice give concrete types, their disorders, and their causes.

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"THE WINGS OF TIME," by Elizabeth Newport Heppner. (Frederick A. Stokes Co.)

WILLIAMSON, the heroine "Sally Dallam" would of course make her both charming and clever. Sally is introduced as a little girl in a Washington boarding house. Her mother, a widow in governmental service, in some way manages to rear and educate Sally very well. She is an architect and is proud of his wife's talents. Sally writes stories. They live on blissfully to middle age. Then Don dies suddenly. The war comes on and another bereavement follows: the son, Don Her second, is killed in overseas service. The wings of time, Sally realizes, not only bring joy but heartache. And an abstract holds to a creed of courage and there is always left for her work.

The story is worthy of a better titled style. There is a want of poignancy in the emotional crises; an overstatement in dialogue, which is true enough to life, but not crisp enough for distinctive writing; and some of the descriptions are too pretty-sounding.

JEAN WATSON.

READINGS IN EVOLUTION, GENETICS AND EUGENICS, by Horatio Hackett Newman. (University of Chicago Press.)

THE field of evolution has grown in size and importance, and so many aspects of the problem have been studied that no one can longer pose as an authority on more than one of its many phases. It is with a realization of such a

illiterate view of Nietzsche as an arch-dilettante of teutonicism. Here are a few extracts: "I regard the Prussians of today (1870) as a power full of the great dangers for culture." "Sojourner in Germany has forced me to exactly the same point of view as you did, dear friend (Treitschke). It is to say, I no longer form part of her." "Heavens, what extraordinary people these Germans are! and how tedious! Not a single intelligent word comes to me from that direction!" In the same letter occurs "German cattle."

To H. Taine: "All my instincts have declared war on Germany." About "The Twilight of the Idols": "It would be of incalculable value to me if it could be read only in French."

condition that the author has published this book, in which he has compiled the most important and significant chapters from many authors, welding these together by connecting passages, by criticisms and by summaries. Into an authoritative collection of excerpts from authors who are the leaders in their respective fields of evolutionary research. In this feature the book is unique and will stand pre-eminent as one which does not represent the biased opinion of any one school of thought but represents both sides of any debated theory.

The list of authors whose writings are quoted includes such eminent men as Darwin, Wallace, Romanes, De Vries, Le Conte, Weissmann, Morgan, Castle, Guyer, Popenoe, Johnson and others.

Regarding the oft-asked question concerning the relation of the evolutionary doctrine to religion, the author quotes as follows from Charles Darwin: "There is a grandeur in this view of life with its several powers, having been originally breathed by the Creator into a few forms or into one; and that, while this planet has gone cycling on according to the fixed law of gravity, from so simple a beginning, endless forms most beautiful and most wonderful have been and are being evolved."

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Evolution is one thing and materialism quite another, the one is an established law of nature, and the other an unwarranted and hasty inference from that law. Let no one imagine that the materialistic materialist scientist in the paths of evolution from the inorganic to the organic, from the animate to the inanimate, from the moral, until at last he lands logically and inevitably in universal materialism—let no such one imagine that he has walked all the way in the domain of science. He has stepped across the boundary into the domain of philosophy. But on account of the strong tendency to materialism and the skillful guidance of his leaders, there seems to be no such boundary. He does not distinguish between the inductive sciences and the deductive sciences of a shallow philosophy; the whole is accredited to science, and the final conclusion seems to carry with it all the certainty which belongs to scientific results.

The entire volume is filled with interesting illustrations, and the various arguments which are discussed, the subject of Darwinism is treated from all viewpoints and the present day status of many perplexing problems is clearly presented. The question of the inheritance of acquired characteristics is carefully discussed and answered, as are also many of the vital questions of genetics. The problem of controlling the heritage of future generations and a discussion of the right to be well born are only a few of the many topics which make the book of vital interest to everyone.

J. P. VISSCHER.

Mr. Benjamin de Casseres has recently spoken as follows in the New York Herald about the value of most opinions of the "Superman Philosopher":

"Personally, I have made it a point to challenge everyone for the last 20 years whom I have heard revile the name of this most portentous figure of modern times, and one of the greatest psychologists and poets of all time. In every case, without exception, I have found that these abusive critics had never read a single line of Nietzsche! They were merely parrots."

In "Thus Spake Zarathustra" Nietzsche says: "Such things are not said for long ears. Every word, also, is not suited for every mouth. These are fine, faraway things; at them sheep's hoofs shall not grasp!" Long ears and sheep's hoofs are in just those who believe that Nietzsche was a nihilist, when as a matter of fact he was an optimist, a world creator, the great trumpeter of individualism against Prussianism, paternalism and state and ecclesiastical slavery of every kind."

That the essence of Nietzsche's thinking is bound to remain esoteric is, however, his fault as much as the fault of the "much-too-many" who have vainly endeavored to fathom him. At all events, it should be clearly understood that the significance of Nietzsche for our age does not consist in any practical connection of his philosophy with the conduct of world affairs but, on the contrary, in his whole-souled and ecstatic recoil from any ordering of life according to formulas of political geography. He is first and last an imaginative schemer whose visions are "screened" by his temperamental exuberance. Whatever may be the social meaning of most of his reasoning, his one commanding proclamation that Progress means infinite growth toward perfection helps to explain his power over the minds of an expectant age like this.

His philosophy of exaltation, of which Bergson's theory of "creative evolution" and the teachings of the "Futurists" are but the prudently trained lateral offshoots, apart from its virtue as an intoxicant, is no bad medicine for the ecclesiastical, educational, and diplomatic dry rot that is being and has been for several decades in the past, when a pro tem musical critic on the Post-Dispatch reported about a concert given by the "Lloyd George" orchestra, "The Lloyd George orchestra, apart from its virtue as an intoxicant, is no bad medicine for the ecclesiastical, educational, and diplomatic dry rot that is being and has been for several decades in the past, when a pro tem musical critic on the Post-Dispatch reported about a concert given by the 'Lloyd George' orchestra, 'The Lloyd George orchestra, apart from its virtue as an intoxicant, is no bad medicine for the ecclesiastical, educational, and diplomatic dry rot that is being and has been for several decades in the past, when a 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## News of the Business World

By Wire to the Post-Dispatch

### BUSINESS TREND UPWARD.

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—A comprehensive survey of business activities in this territory, Business Extension now count on the sharpening upward curve in April. There is much to confirm the accuracy of the predictions. The farmer is a potential purchaser at present, but manufacturers are working to get ready for the time when the next crop puts the farmer on his feet. Labor costs are liquidating slowly but constantly. Many of the troubles are vanishing still far in the future. Organized labor has agreed to

fight the Landis wage awards in the building trades, but the whisper comes from inside labor circles that there will be some satisfactory adjustment by Feb. 15, and that the workmen are determined to go to work.

Railroads are buying equipment. The Chicago and Northwestern has just placed an order for steel passenger coaches and pending and placed car orders for various roads aggregate 7500 box cars, 500 passenger cars and 200 refrigerator cars. Demand for plates, shapes and structural steel is increasing. The rail mill of the Illinois Steel Co. at Gary will open Monday with orders sufficient to assure activity for six months.

### CONSTANT FORT GAIN.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 25.—Constant gain in the commerce of this port is the outstanding feature of the business situation here for the moment. Imports for December were \$3,000,000 in excess of those for November. Mineral oils and coffee showed the greatest gains. Business throughout this region of the South is being held in check by unwillingness of merchants to make commitments ahead until adjustment of the world situation has assured them they will have fewer of the difficulties in marketing the next crop of cotton than were experienced in the last year. Figures of the Department of Agriculture show that the crops of Louisiana in 1921 brought producers \$26,000,000 less than was received in 1920.

### WEATHER RETARDS BUILDING.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 15.—Construction in this territory, while planned on a large scale for 1922, is retarded for the time being by winter weather and to await stabilization of wages and materials. A somewhat similar hesitancy is noticeable in retail trade as buyers seem unconvinced that prices have at last reached rock bottom. Response is not lacking, however, to bargain offerings adequately advertised.

Little anxiety is expressed here that there will be a simultaneous strike of bituminous and anthracite miners around April 1. In the past it has been the policy of union leaders to take advantage of the rivalry for markets between the hard and soft coal operators and if production of both hard and soft coal were checked at the same time that weapon would be lost. Manufacturers, however, are investigating the possibility of a change to oil as fuel if necessary.

It is estimated that nine failures of brokerage houses and alleged "investment" houses here have lost citizens of this vicinity \$15,000,000. Some of the "investment bankers" have fled.

There is a good demand in this market for sole leather and the shoe manufacturers especially those making the cheaper grades, are well supplied with orders.

### BOND ISSUE TO BE FLOATED.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 25.—A \$5,000,000 bond issue will be floated here next month to finance the completion of the St. Paul Union Station project. Officials announced today that construction would be resumed on the station in March.

### CANADIAN OUTLOOK GOOD.

MONTREAL, Quebec, Jan. 25.—Slow but steady improvement may be anticipated from now on in Canada's business and industrial situation, according to a consensus of opinion from 150 prominent Canadian manufacturers. Some industries already show concrete evidence that the turn for the better has taken place and the remainder expect a new impetus in March and April. Mining operations throughout Ontario are expected to boom because of the apparent certainty of lower production costs.

### SHOES.

BOSTON, Jan. 25.—The shoe business in New England is operating at between 60 and 70 per cent of capacity, while the makers of low-priced shoes have reached practically 100 per cent.

### CORN.

REDFIELD, S. D., Jan. 25.—Merchants of Redfield have agreed to accept corn in payment for their wares at the rate of 30 cents a bushel, 5 cents above the market price. An agency will receive the corn and issue credit slips to farmers.

### HARDWARE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—While the present demand for hardware and builders' tools is only fair, the outlook for spring is excellent, according to local dealers.

### TEA.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The advance in the prices of Ceylon teas at primary markets has been reflected here and prices range about 30 cents a pound for orange pekoes and 20 cents for ordinary pekoes.

### BUILDING MATERIALS.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 25.—Building contractors in this region are waging a vigorous campaign for reduction in the prices of building materials, announcing that the scale of wages in the building trades will remain unchanged.

### COAL.

COALDALE, Pa., Jan. 25.—The new million-dollar breaker of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co., one of the largest in the world, will be ready for operation April 1.

### FISH.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 25.—The six weeks' lobster fishing season off this coast will bring about \$500,000 of American money into this territory. The greater part of the catch, both live and canned, was shipped to Boston.

### STEEL.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 25.—The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Co. has arranged for the repair of 850 freight cars by the Buffalo Steel Car Co.

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—The Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad has ordered eight dining cars from the Pullman Co., to be delivered in April and May.

PHOENIXVILLE, Pa., Jan. 25.—The Phoenix Iron Works has resumed operation of its rolling mills after a shutdown of 15 weeks, employing 265 additional men. The entire plant is running at about 50 per cent of capacity.

### AUTOMOBILE ACCESSORIES.

BOSTON, Jan. 25.—The Gray & Davis Co., which makes starting and lighting systems under contract with the American Bosch Magneto Co. for the Hudson, Essex, Chandler and Cleveland automobiles, is rapidly increasing output. The company shipped 1255 motors in November, 1921, and 12,070 so far this month. Orders for March shipment exceed 15,000.

### SPICES.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The arrival here of 50,000 bags of Lampung peppers has not served to depress prices in this market. Nutmegs have advanced in price, but there is an easy tone in cloves.

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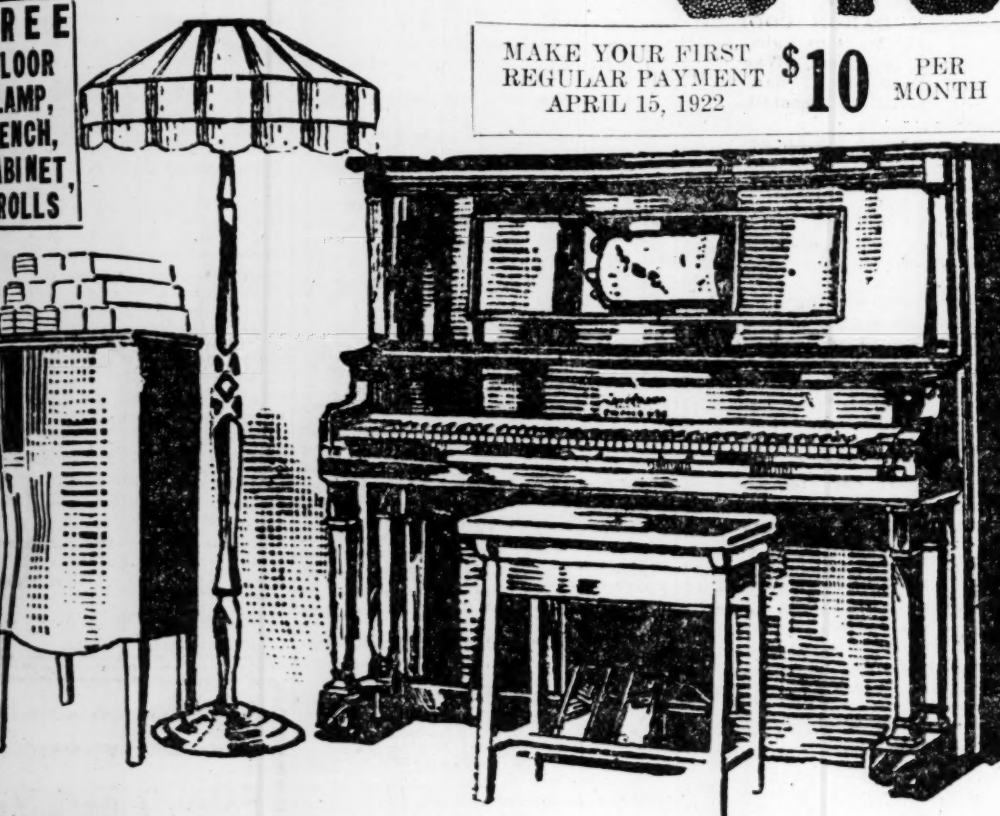
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 By the Associated Press.  
 OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok. Jan. 25.—  
 Five confessed members of the  
 party that lynched Jake Brooks, ne-  
 gro packing house worker, here on  
 Jan. 14, pleaded guilty before Judge  
 James I. Phelps yesterday and were  
 sentenced to life imprisonment in the  
 State Penitentiary at McAlester.  
 The defendants are: Leo Whitley, 29;  
 Charles Poik, 18; Elmer Yearta, 19,  
 white men, and Robert Allen, 27, and  
 Nathan Butler, 40, negroes.  
 Whitley and Yearta are members  
 of the Butcher Workmen's Union  
 of strike at the packing plants here.  
 Allen is a cousin of Brooks.  
 Speed marked the cases of the five  
 men. The two negroes were arrested  
 on Jan. 17 and their confessions, given  
 in signed affidavits to the County At-  
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 white men are still to be tried.  
 Another development in the law  
 enforcement situation here came yester-  
 day with the arrest of three ne-  
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 Murder charges were filed yester-  
 day against Edward Burgett in con-  
 nection with the death of Charles A.  
 Ransom. Burgett, a prisoner in the  
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 skull which resulted in his death.

## "A FIRESIDE ENCORE OF THE "ARTIST" WINS \$5500 PRIZES

A \$5000 prize for the best slogan featuring the Edison phonograph has been awarded to Henry C. Lawrence of 102 Bonmart avenue, Webster Groves, credit manager of the Blackwell-Wielandy Co., by the Thomas A. Edison Co. Inc. Lawrence's prize-winning slogan was, "A Fireside Encore of the Artist."

Besides the \$5000 prize Lawrence will receive \$500 from Mark Silverstone, local musical instrument dealer, who announced at the beginning of the contest that he would give one percent to any prize won by persons living in St. Louis or within a radius of 50 miles.

## TO FORM EMPLOYMENT AGENCY

Community Council Acts on Its Subcommittee.

Five organizations were admitted to membership in the Community Council at its regular meeting in the Chamber of Commerce yesterday. They are the Convent of the Good Shepherd, 'the Municipal Nurses' Board, the St. Louis Public Library,

Hospital and the Church of the Holy Communion.  
 The report of the subcommittee on unemployment was adopted and steps will be taken to bring about immediate action. Among the recommendations adopted is the establishment of an employment exchange consisting of managers of all noncommercial employment agencies in the city. Joseph Bray was elected secretary and J. Lionberger Davis and Mrs. Edward Walsh were named members of the Executive Committee.

## CURBING OF SOLICITORS SOUGHT

### Some Canvassers for Legion Paper Go Beyond Instructions.

The public is asked by Jerome F. Duggan, chairman of the American Legion Executive Committee of St. Louis, is a statement issued today, to cooperate in putting a stop to unauthorized solicitation of subscriptions to the St. Louis Legionaire, an official Legion publication.

Duggan stated that as a means of providing work for unemployed former service men, credentials were issued for solicitation of subscriptions in St. Louis only. Some of these men, he said, have been motivated by making false statements, such as that: the money paid was to be used directly for the benefit of disabled men, while others got beyond their authority as directors of the legion and carried their campaign into various Illinois and Missouri towns.

# DEATHS

Death notices, first and last, at 15; each extra line 50c; memorials, obituaries, eulogiums, etc. 50c

**AARON**—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 1922. Theresa Aaron nee Kahn, beloved wife of Isaac Aaron, daughter of Julius Silberstein. Mrs. Henry Hulsch, sister-in-law, daughter of Joseph Lohmer and Ida Kahn and our dear mother.

Funeral: Tuesday, Jan. 24, at 9 a. m. Collins, 1622 Broadway.

**BERGLAND**—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 1922, at 10:15 p. m. Mrs. Helen Berglund, nee Berglund, wife of Gustav Berglund, mother of Theodore and Lawrence Berglund, daughter of Joseph and Ida Lohmer and dear sister of Charles Mowbray.

Funeral will take place on Friday, Jan. 27, at 2 p. m. at the home of the mother, Theresa Cass Avenue, to Memorial Park.

**COLLINS**—Entered into rest on Sunday, Jan. 22, 1922, at 10 a. m. Albert J. Collins, beloved husband of Mattie Collins, father of Olive Collins.

Funeral will take place from Arthur J. Donnelly's funeral parlors, 3848 Linden Boulevard, on Tuesday, Jan. 26, at 2 p. m.

**CUNNINGHAM**—Entered into rest and dignity on Sunday, Jan. 22, 1922. John Cunningham.

Funeral will take place from the Muller Funeral Home, 100 Broadway, on Tuesday, Jan. 26, at 2 p. m.

Firstborn Cemetery. Decayed was member of Grange, No. 100.

**DECKER**—On Wednesday, Jan. 25, 1922, at 10:30 a. m. Mary Decker, nee Mary O'Neil, wife of Louis Decker, dear mother of Louis Decker (now Decker), dear sister of John Decker, nee O'Neil, daughter of John and grandmother, aged 78 years.

Funeral on Friday, Jan. 27, at 2:30 p. m. from the home.

**DUFFAN**—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 1922, at 1:30 p. m. As Joseph Duffan, nee Green, daughter of John McE. Dear beloved son of Margaret Duffan, nee Green, daughter of Joseph Duffan, dear brother of Miss F. Duffan.



WEDNESDAY,  
JANUARY 23, 1932

LIFE TERMS FOR FIVE MEN IN  
OKLAHOMA CITY LYNNING

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OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., Jan. 23. Five men were sentenced to life terms in the Oklahoma State Penitentiary for the murder of a woman.

The five men were: John White, 27; Charles Smith, 28; Robert Jones, 29; William Brown, 30; and James Miller, 31.

They were charged with the murder of a woman named Mary Smith, who was found dead in a rooming house in Oklahoma City.

The men were arrested on January 15 and held in the Oklahoma City Jail.

The trial was held in the Oklahoma City Court House on January 22.

The jury returned its verdict after a deliberation of two hours.

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**DEATHS**  
FRIEDBERG—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 23, 1932, at 3:40 p. m. at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Friedberg, 4002 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was 68 years of age. Burial in the Oklahoma City Cemetery.

**DEATHS**  
GAYNOR—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 1932, at 10:30 a. m. at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Gaynor, 1000 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was 65 years of age. Burial in the Oklahoma City Cemetery.

**DEATHS**  
HENKEL—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 23, 1932, at 3:40 a. m. at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Henkel, 1000 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was 65 years of age. Burial in the Oklahoma City Cemetery.

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HOLLANDER—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 1932, at 10:30 a. m. at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Hollander, 1000 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was 65 years of age. Burial in the Oklahoma City Cemetery.

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KOEHLER—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 23, 1932, at 3:40 a. m. at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Koehler, 1000 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was 65 years of age. Burial in the Oklahoma City Cemetery.

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LUTZ—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 1932, at 10:30 a. m. at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Lutz, 1000 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was 65 years of age. Burial in the Oklahoma City Cemetery.

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MCCARTY—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 1932, at 10:30 a. m. at the residence of his wife, Mrs. McCarty, 1000 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was 65 years of age. Burial in the Oklahoma City Cemetery.

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MOELLER—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 1932, at 10:30 a. m. at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Moeller, 1000 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was 65 years of age. Burial in the Oklahoma City Cemetery.

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NELSON—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 1932, at 10:30 a. m. at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Nelson, 1000 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was 65 years of age. Burial in the Oklahoma City Cemetery.

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NETTLE—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 1932, at 10:30 a. m. at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Nettle, 1000 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was 65 years of age. Burial in the Oklahoma City Cemetery.

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NYBERG—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 23, 1932, at 3:40 a. m. at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Nyberg, 1000 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was 65 years of age. Burial in the Oklahoma City Cemetery.

**DEATHS**  
SCHULTER—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 23, 1932, at 3:40 a. m. at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Schulten, 1000 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was 65 years of age. Burial in the Oklahoma City Cemetery.

**DEATHS**  
STENHAGEN—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 23, 1932, at 3:40 a. m. at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Stenhagen, 1000 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was 65 years of age. Burial in the Oklahoma City Cemetery.

**DEATHS**  
TOLSON—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 23, 1932, at 3:40 a. m. at the residence of his wife, Mrs. Tolson, 1000 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He was 65 years of age. Burial in the Oklahoma City Cemetery.

WHY NOT TAKE A PARTNER? To insure proper expansion find him through these columns.

ANSWERS TO QUERIES

As we have no information bureau, it is impossible to answer queries by mail or telephone. Query for Sunday must be mailed a week beforehand.

**TRAGIC**—Consult your physician. A marriage license may be published immediately after its issue.

**DAILY READER**—Take the coin given you in violation. We do not identify it.

**MR. K**—You will be necessary for you to become a member of the Typographical Union, serving an apprenticeship of possibly five years.

**W**—If you have \$100 in the bank for one year at 3 per cent interest at the end of the year you will receive \$3.

**J. C. C.**—The census of 1920 gives a population of St. Louis as 722,897. Of this number 702,754 are white, 48,603 negroes, the balance being of other races.

**J. G. C.**—A saturated 25 per cent solution will freeze at 1 degree below zero.

**JOHN**—Even though you have been married in the United States, the fact that you married in the United States would not cancel your foreign marriage.

**FORGET MEMORY**—The American Medical Association will hold a convention in St. Louis from May 22 to 27. We do not find any reference to it.

**LEGAL INFORMATION**  
(Prepared by a Member of the St. Louis Bar Association.)  
JOE—If you are earning over \$1000 a year you will have to pay income tax.

**R. O. R.**—The marriage according to the law of Illinois is legitimate and cannot be annulled.

**U. S.**—Under certain circumstances you may recover damages for the arrest. Consult an attorney.

**ANXIOUS**—Inquire of the Sheriff of your county as to what to do in regard to the wires.

**X**—We advise you to consult the German Consul in St. Louis or an attorney in regard to your question.

**ILLINOIS**—Under these circumstances the woman can probably give you a clear title to the property.

**LOVE**—We advise you to consult a lawyer. He may be able to put pressure on the man and compel him to marry you.

**R. A. J.**—If you did leave no one of your property and your two sons each one-third.

**WOHRER**—TENANT—As you have no lease the rent can be collected from the owner.

**W. R. L.**—The woman, not having secured a divorce from her husband, is still married to him.

**MEDICAL QUESTIONS**  
(Answers prepared by a physician of authority. Health and sanitation questions of public interest only will be considered. Diagnoses or treatment of individual cases will not be given. Questions that cannot be publicly discussed, if showing evidences of sincerity, will be answered when possible.)

**LUCKY**—Repeat your instructions are followed we feel sure you will gain in weight.

**FLUORENCE**—The condition you describe is most suggestive of a period, is most suggestive of a period, is most suggestive of a period.

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Mrs. Louis Scott, 1406 Papin, Peoria, Ill.  
John P. A. Newman, 3045 Quincy, Quincy, Ill.  
Alvin G. Hollenback, 4344 Madison, Madison, Ill.  
Arthur J. Zimmer, 4344 Madison, Madison, Ill.  
Marguerite Fowler, 3000A Texas, Texas, Ill.  
Francis J. McGuire, 4300 Lindell, Lindell, Ill.  
H. I. Hinkle, 4300 Pennock, Pennock, Ill.  
Herman L. Gratzke, 5240 Affron, Affron, Mo.  
Kurt A. Brueser, 5240 Affron, Affron, Mo.  
Albert Moore, 5345 Shaw, Shaw, Ill.  
Anna Canall, 3840 Shaw, Shaw, Ill.  
August S. Walzer, 1020 S. 18th, 18th, Ill.  
Irene C. Greenwald, 1120 Rutger, Rutger, Ill.  
Stanley Lamb, 1120 Rutger, Rutger, Ill.  
Beane Maurer, 1120 Rutger, Rutger, Ill.  
Albert Frank Eger, 1120 Rutger, Rutger, Ill.  
Gertrude Laucka, 1120 Rutger, Rutger, Ill.  
Charles Scott, 1417 N. 16th, 16th, Ill.  
Blair Turner, 1910 N. 16th, 16th, Ill.  
Joseph W. Nickrent, 1448 N. 19th, 19th, Ill.  
Clara B. Wanda, 4430 S. Compton, Compton, Ill.  
Elmer Kettler, 3845 S. Compton, Compton, Ill.  
Bela Thomas, 3845 S. Compton, Compton, Ill.  
Michael A. Palmason, 1020 S. 18th, 18th, Ill.  
Mary M. Lombardo, 1020 S. 18th, 18th, Ill.  
Jake Pen, 2903 Gamble, Gamble, Ill.  
Ida Horak, 2903 Gamble, Gamble, Ill.  
Francis J. Downey, 914 Madison, Madison, Ill.  
Bridie Walke, 1010 N. 10th, 10th, Ill.  
Joseph Ostak, 1725 S. 11th, 11th, Ill.  
Louisa Butler, 1725 S. 11th, 11th, Ill.  
Joseph Chatham, 1725 S. 11th, 11th, Ill.  
Leonard Rivers, 4038 Pine, Pine, Ill.  
Elizabeth Jacob, 4225 Cook, Cook, Ill.  
Verna Perry, 1808 Franklin, Franklin, Ill.  
William F. Blumhagen, 1808 Franklin, Franklin, Ill.  
Marta Papp, 2611 National, National, Ill.  
Frank Balet, 3000A Texas, Texas, Ill.  
Marta Mary Landon, 3000A Texas, Texas, Ill.  
Frank L. Wilhelm, 4403 Atlanta, Atlanta, Ill.  
Helen M. Ertina, 4021 Lee, Lee, Ill.

## At Belleville.

John Edward Becker, Belleville, Mo.  
Marie Weisbach, Belleville, Mo.  
Herman A. Knoebel, Belleville, Mo.  
Edith P. Ranner, Belleville, Mo.  
Jacob H. Jacobs, Belleville, Mo.  
Wulhelmina de Silva, Belleville, Mo.

## At St. Charles.

Arthur J. Mann, Webster Groves, Mo.  
Ella D. Gorman, Webster Groves, Mo.  
Frank E. Dean, Fredericktown, Mo.  
Neve Moore, Fredericktown, Mo.

## At East St. Louis.

John Romo, 808 Car, Car, Ill.  
Rose Call, 917 N. Ninth, Ninth, Ill.  
Lena Butler, 917 N. Ninth, Ninth, Ill.  
Irene Grunstab, 917 N. Ninth, Ninth, Ill.

## At Edwardsville.

Charles Heinrich, St. Louis, Mo.  
Della Kramer, St. Louis, Mo.

## BIRTHS RECORDED.

H. and O. Crow, 3429 Arlington, Arlington, Ill.  
N. and E. Edwards, 5253 Garfield, Garfield, Ill.  
J. and E. Edwards, 1402 S. 7th, 7th, Ill.  
H. and Y. Green, 1411 East, East, Ill.  
J. and J. Huffman, 6723 Theodosia, Theodosia, Ill.  
D. and A. Pratt, 1005 N. 23d, 23d, Ill.  
J. and H. Olson, 3003 Chouteau, Chouteau, Ill.  
J. and C. Schaefer, 2010A Missouri, Missouri, Ill.  
W. and C. Ahrens, 6811 S. Broadway, Broadway, Ill.  
E. and G. Brown, 1415A E. Main, Main, Ill.  
T. and Y. Green, 1415A E. Main, Main, Ill.  
A. and B. Hermsperger, 5617A Cote Brillante, Cote Brillante, Ill.  
P. and C. Hutchinson, 311 S. Broadway, Broadway, Ill.  
I. and E. Horrell, 3020 Lemm, Lemm, Ill.  
J. and A. Le Grand, 3020 Lemm, Lemm, Ill.  
W. and H. Newell, 1023 Park, Park, Ill.  
J. and C. Rader, 2804A Kennedy, Kennedy, Ill.  
I. and I. Coulson, 3701 Cor. Gratiot, Gratiot, Ill.  
A. and D. Lyons, 1013 Tenth, Tenth, Ill.  
A. and G. McElroy, 2800 Park, Park, Ill.

## BURIAL PERMITS.

Anna Sturver, 64, 1618 S. 7th, 7th, Ill.  
Frances Morris, 38, 4172 Bosanical, Bosanical, Ill.  
A. Jackson, 50, 1601 S. 7th, 7th, Ill.  
Annie A. Butting, 41, 2713A Laclede, Laclede, Ill.  
A. G. Hark, 41, 2013 Washington, Washington, Ill.  
Ignacio, 23, 4149 Padi, Padi, Ill.  
Rich. W. 34, 3444 Wash., Wash., Ill.  
H. Heidemann, 65, 4904 N. Broadway, Broadway, Ill.  
A. Schaefer, 16, 708 Clara, Clara, Ill.  
H. H. 31, 2013 Stein, Stein, Ill.  
V. Connelly, 30, 3014 Park, Park, Ill.  
T. Taylor, 68, 2001 S. 23d, 23d, Ill.  
L. Baker, 24, 814 Market, Market, Ill.  
L. Barker, 40, 3014 Park, Park, Ill.  
Louise Becker, 70, 4203 Pleasant, Pleasant, Ill.  
Caroline Bando, 75, 4203 Pleasant, Pleasant, Ill.  
P. Kleinberger, 20, 3013 N. Broadway, Broadway, Ill.  
Cecilia Ziegler, 30, 3013 N. Broadway, Broadway, Ill.  
Anna L. Lerner, 30, 3008 Tennessee, Tennessee, Ill.  
Minnie Phillips, 27, 2447 Howard, Howard, Ill.  
James E. Smith, 70, 5340 Maple, Maple, Ill.  
Isabelle H. Downman, 87, 4186 Laclede, Laclede, Ill.  
Johna Trade, 38, 3018 S. 18th, 18th, Ill.  
Zella Betty, 48, 3843 Hartford, Hartford, Ill.  
Marjorie Webb, 64, 1519A Arlington, Arlington, Ill.  
Maudie Goss, 30, 3013 S. 23d, 23d, Ill.  
A. Twyman, 4, 2077 S. Herbert, Herbert, Ill.  
Christine Seiring, 60, 3013 S. Herbert, Herbert, Ill.  
D. G. McConnell, 60, 3013 S. Herbert, Herbert, Ill.  
Anna Wheeler, 48, 1718 Gay, Gay, Ill.Peoria Matricide Retrial Date Set.  
By the Associated Press.  
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 23.—Retrial of Joseph Stender of Peoria, Ill., charged with the murder of his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Stender, 85, has been set for Feb. 20. A jury, unable to agree in the first trial, was dismissed Saturday night after 24 hours' deliberation.By the Fireside  
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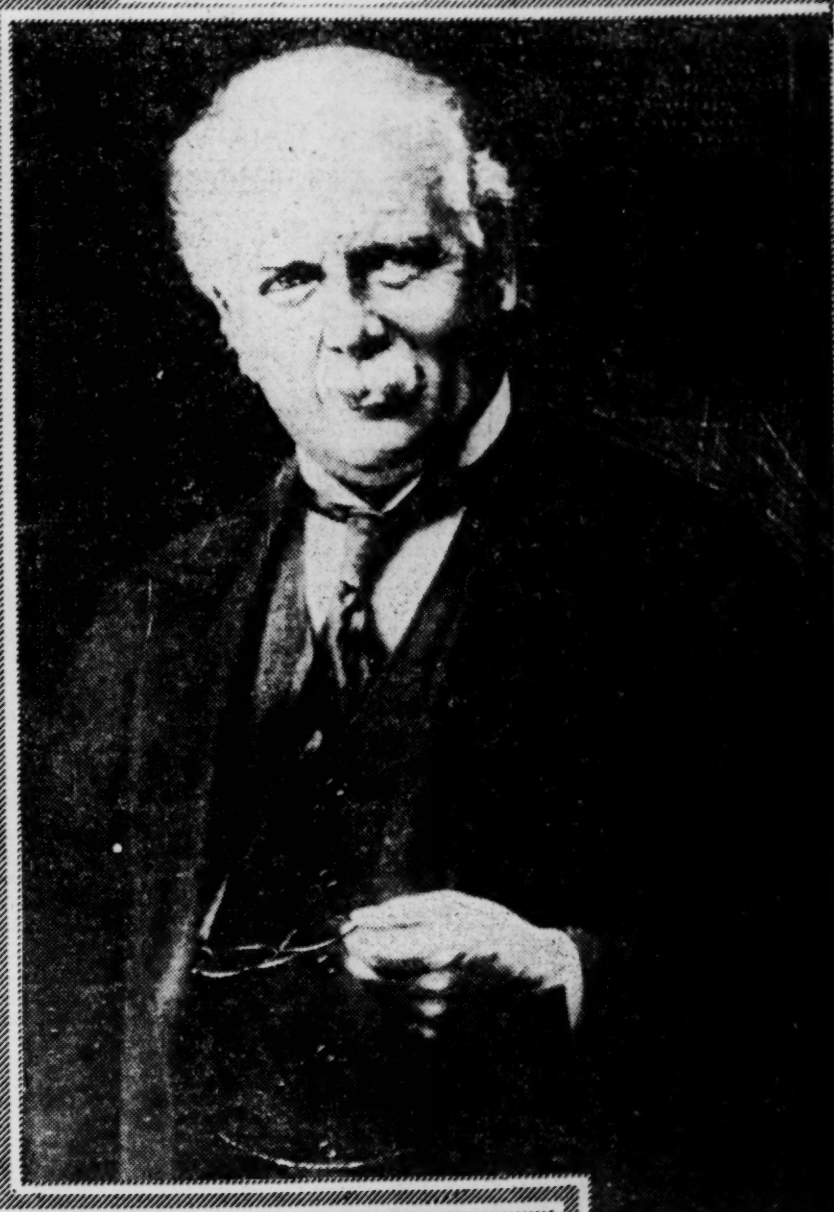
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Lucien Muratore, famous French tenor, and his wife, Lina Cavalieri, prima donna, leaving Chicago after quitting Chicago Opera Company because they found Mary Garden, though a great artist, "impossible as a manager."  
—Pacific & Atlantic Photograph.



Princess Nagako (left), the bride-elect of the Crown Prince Regent of Japan and future Empress of the realm. On the extreme right is her sister. The two girls in the center are friends of the royal family.  
—Underwood & Underwood Photograph.



Portrait of Lloyd George, recently painted by W. H. Durham, to be placed in the Town Hall at Cardiff, where he began his political career.  
—Underwood & Underwood Photograph.



Mrs. Edward Beale McLean and her son, John, at Palm Beach. Mr. and Mrs. McLean are considered in Washington the social mentors and advisers of President and Mrs. Harding.  
—Underwood & Underwood Photograph.



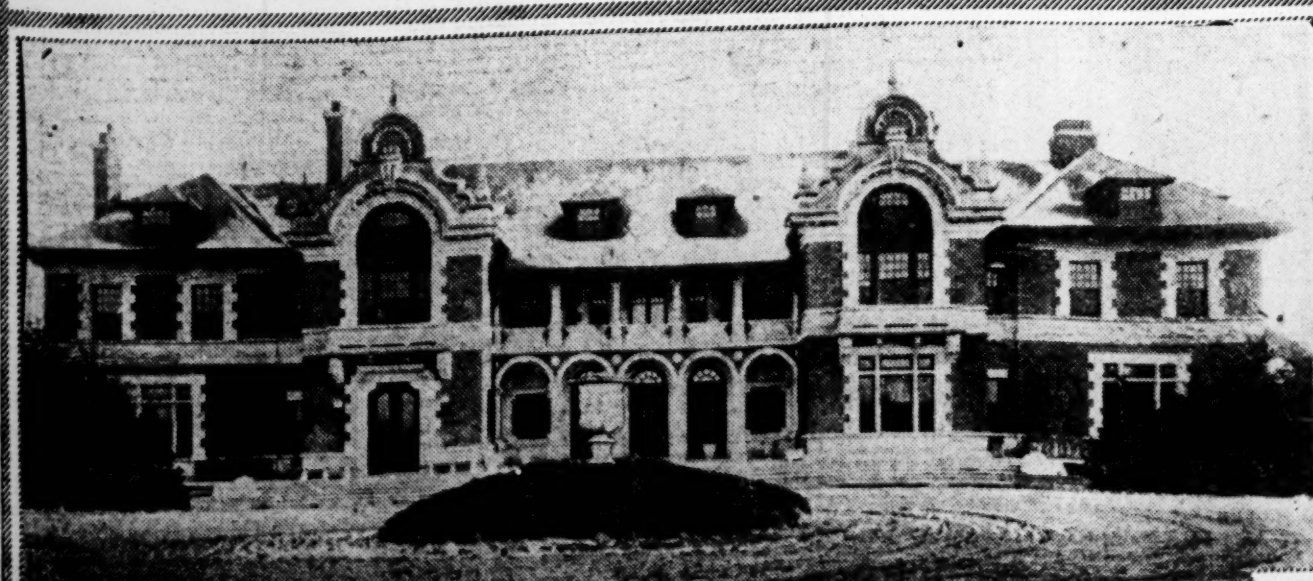
A. S. M. Hutchinson, author of the year's best selling novel, "If Winter Comes," a success in both England and America.  
—Keystone Photograph.



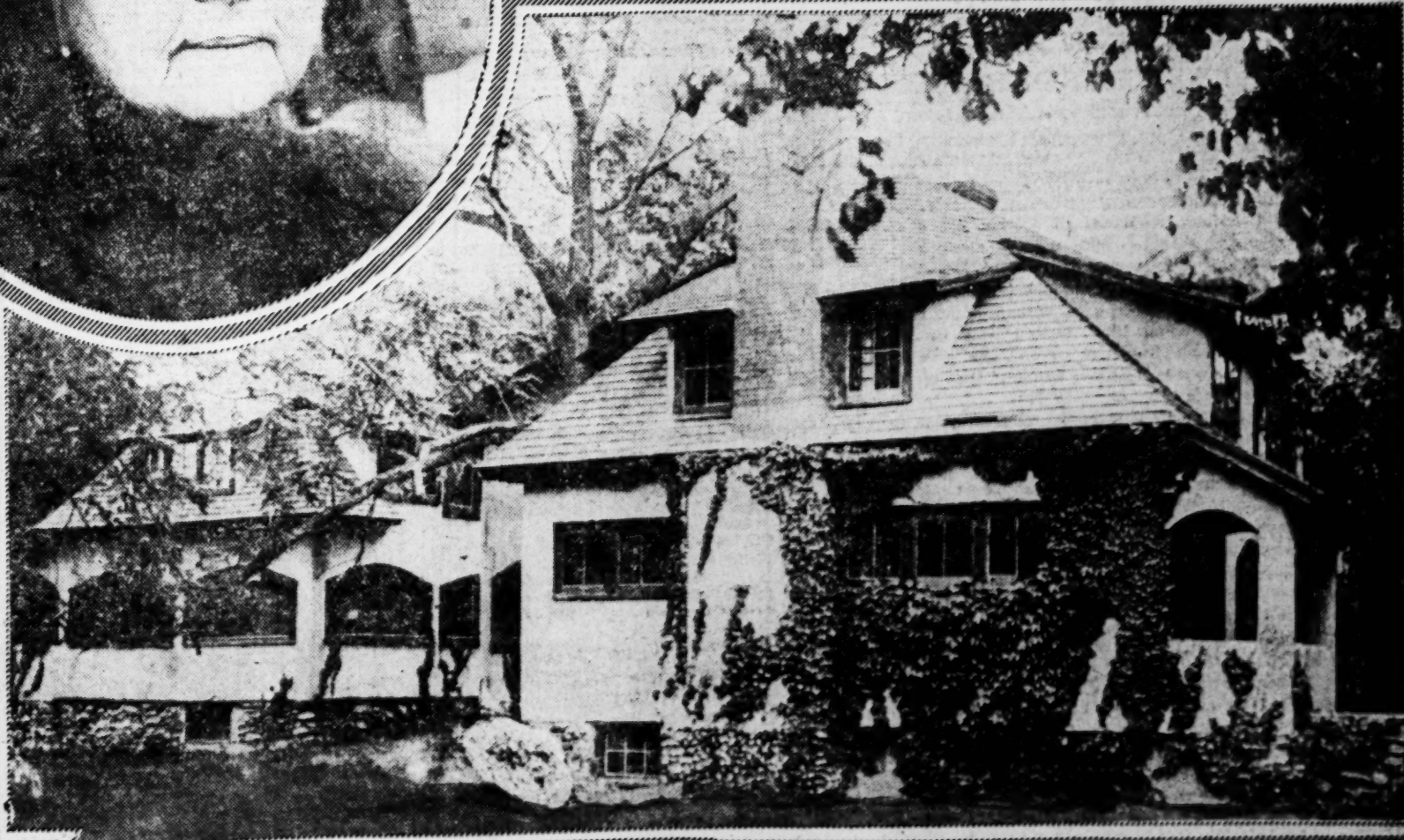
Dr. and Mrs. F. H. Spence, farthest north missionaries, come back to America to recuperate from breakdown due to severity of Arctic weather. Point Barrow is their post and they cover a radius of 600 miles, supplying medicine and religious teaching under the Presbyterian Board of Missions.  
—Underwood & Underwood Photograph.



Baroness Rosen, widow of the former Russian Ambassador, sails for Paris, following the death of her husband from being struck by an automobile in a New York street.  
—Keystone Photograph.



Main building of "Idle Hour," estate of the late William K. Vanderbilt, on Long Island, N. Y., said to have cost \$6,000,000 which has been turned into a luxurious golf club. The furnishings put in by Vanderbilt at a cost of nearly \$1,000,000 are intact.  
—Underwood & Underwood Photograph.



Main building of the 300-acre estate on Long Island, N. Y., which Maude Adams, actress, has given to the Catholic sisterhood of Our Lady of the Cenacle. It will be converted into a convent and Miss Adams will live there with the sisters just as she has been doing at their convent in New York City.  
—International Photograph.



## Does Your Automobile Get More Attention Than Your Husband and Children?

St. Louis Women Plead Guilty to H. G. Wells'  
Indictment and Start Movement to Educate  
Housewives in Food Values.

By MARGUERITE MARTIN.

THE statement of H. G. Wells to the effect that the waste of food in this country is appalling to the visitor from hungry Europe is amended by many women discussing the subject as presented on the Women's Page of the Post-Dispatch recently. The waste of food is appalling to native Americans, too, they say.

"Ah, but he should have seen us during the war," many of the women said. "We learned how to save and we did save."

Still other women lament the fact that having got so good a start at overcoming the national famine, extravagance, in the direction of food conservation, the movement should have been abandoned the instant the armistice was signed.

In connection with this waste of food problem, a group of women drawn from economics committees of the Women's Chamber of Commerce, the Wednesday Club and from the old war-time Food Administration, have formed themselves into a joint committee in the endeavor to arouse a new interest in the subject of food conservation.

Mrs. George A. Bass, 5148 Lindell boulevard, who was head of the Organization Committee of the Food Administration during the war, is one of the leaders of the group.

"It is deplorable that women generally do not realize the importance of the study of food values," said Mrs. Bass in telling of the committee's purpose. "When the average man buys an automobile he immediately sets to work studying its parts and mechanism with the view of giving it the best of care."

"He finds out which grades of oil and fuel are best suited to the requirements of his particular machine. He studies the temperaments of his carburetor, making sure its mixture is neither too fat nor too lean, lest knowing the machine will misfire or choke or otherwise fail if he does not do his part by it."

"He keeps account of the mileage he gets from tires and does everything he can think of and learn toward reducing the upkeep and prolonging the usefulness of his car. Probably a woman will devote the same attention to her automobile, but she does not acquire a husband or a family, she does not always go to the same lengths in her physical requirements and how she can best serve them, what foods are best adapted to their organisms and which will best conserve her household allowance and give the best return in food value. She is likely to choke her children with too rich a mixture or kill their engines entirely with too lean a mixture," she said, whimsically. "She does not want her husband to break down in middle life, nor her children to be ill through any fault of hers, but she is inclined to go along the path of least resistance, trusting to instinct, upon which probably her forebears could have relied when we lived in less artificial environment."

**Few Effective Sources.**  
One reason for want of interest and knowledge of food conservation in St. Louis, Mrs. Bass explained, is the fact that there are so few really effective sources of information on

the subject. There is no school in the city which offers complete instruction in all branches of household economy. To receive a certificate qualifying one to teach these branches it is necessary to go outside St. Louis for instruction. Consequently there is a scarcity of teachers, few classes in home economics available to the average woman, and no complete course is to be had.

The group of women mentioned, therefore, has been bringing suasion to bear upon the directors of Washington University, urging them to establish there a department in household arts and sciences.

The extension department of the university has responded to the demand to the extent of announcing for the second semester beginning Jan. 30 a course of lectures on elements of nutrition and dietetics. From this beginning it is hoped other branches of the subjects of household arts and sciences will spring. Indeed, a beginning was made last year when a course in interior decoration was offered, which lectures proved so popular that the class had to be divided.

**Will Specialize on Diet.**  
The course, according to the announcement, will describe very simply the essentials of an adequate diet, the nutritive properties of common food materials and the application of such knowledge to the feeding of individuals and family groups. Estimations of food values and preparation and service of practical dietaries will constitute the laboratory work.

The lectures will be conducted by Mrs. Frances Winton Ward, already connected with the faculty, and will be held every Tuesday from Jan. 30 to May 19 at the Washington University School of Medicine, Scott and Euclid avenues. It is necessary to register for the lectures Jan. 27 at the main building of the university on the campus.

It is our hope that the lectures will prove so successful that the subject of household economics eventually will be extended to an entire department in which women may specialize at the university as they do at Missouri State University, Wisconsin University and other well-known seats of instruction in domestic science," said Mrs. Bass.

"The lecture course, it seems to me, is a direct answer, in action if not in words, to the question raised by H. G. Wells in his statement that we do waste food in this country. We do waste, and when we hear the criticism of the foreigner we should feel inclined to remedy the matter. It is as much through ignorance as intent that people waste. Poor people, the thriftest of them, often do not know how to get the best values from the limited supply of foods, and many of our most learned are unenlightened on food values. The great national fault is that, rich and poor alike, we overeat."

Members of the committee promoting the lectures are Mrs. George A. Bass, Mrs. Robert J. Terry, Mrs. W. H. Durkin, Mrs. W. John Harris, Mrs. H. P. Frisch, Mrs. C. A. Houts, Mrs. E. W. La Baume, Mrs. W. H. Scudder, Miss Edna Kinsinger, Miss Etta Jordan.

## Fashion News Notes

NEW YORK.—An idea rather than example is what the theater presents to the designer in the way of dress. This is clearly seen in a series of frocks recently developed here which follow the general theme of the costume worn by Lenore Ulrich in "Kiki." Nothing could be more extreme or outre than Miss Ulrich's costume of close-fitting black satin with flaring red and white checks. Yet the designer, while keeping the arresting idea has developed a frock extremely wearable without sacrificing smartness. The model offered the public has a fitted bodice of blue satin with small buttons down the back and a wide skirt of blue and white, long in front and short at the sides, which is bound around the hem with a darker blue.

LONDON.—None would suppose that the fog and rain and mud and bricks and stones of London would produce a beautiful tint for women's wear, but the latest shade—and it is a most attractive one—which has taken London by storm is called "pavement," and takes its name from the tint of London streets. It is seen most frequently in suits developed in gabardine, serge and rep gabardine, which has a contrasting stripe of a darker shade. Pavement is a fine light shade of fawn and other shades of fawn, brown and cream are featured in the new garments. The suits emphasize the pouch back, inverted box pleats, gathers or a belt being used to gain this effect.

NEW YORK.—It is no longer necessary to roll them down, keep them up. Stockings are now being made with a shirred elastic top, which keeps them from slipping down or wrinkling around the ankle. This shirred elastic at the top, it is claimed, does not come down with walking or come out with washing and replaces the Roman twist which is both uncertain and bad for the circulation. The new stockings are in full length and below-the-knee length and are made in black, white, seal, gray, beige and other colors.

NEW YORK.—The rays of old Sol were things to dodge and shun in the days when pink and white loveliness was expected of every woman. But now the athletic girl of today seeks the color brown skin of the open. Those who put on a coat of midwinter tan in Florida this winter will have no difficulty in matching it with their spring frocks when they return. For the dresses and suits now being prepared for spring emphasize all the tan shades. Dresses of crepe Romaine or Canton, with lace panels or overskirt, the bobolink shade of tan are being widely featured, while tan or porcelaine is equally engaging.

NEW YORK.—The number of women who can afford a half dozen afternoon and evening frocks in the spring is limited, but nearly every woman can have half a dozen frocks in either one of the two new lace tunics and Spanish lace flounces. One of these flounces is all that is needed to make a modish chemise frock, beside an underslip and a giraffe. By means of the two latter a dozen different effects are possible. The majority of these tunics are made in the 10-inch length.

**Boiled Meringue.**

If you would take the guesswork out of this mixture get a thermometer. Then you will know just when the icing is cooked to perfection. It will only remain for you to ascertain, which will come with a little practice, the exact point at which to stop beating it.

The amount here given will ice two large layers or three small ones:

Two cups sugar.  
One-half cupful water.  
One-quarter teaspoonful cream of tartar.

Two egg whites.  
One-quarter teaspoonful vanilla.  
Boil the sugar and water and cream of tartar together to the soft ball stage (242 degrees F.) in a thick saucepan. Pour the syrup in a fine stream over the stiffly whipped egg whites, beating all the time. Add the vanilla. Continue to beat until stiff enough to ice the cake without any dripping off. This may take 10 or 15 minutes of beating, but if stopped at the psychological minute before the icing becomes too stiff it can be beaten up one or two inches high and still remain soft inside—the ideal condition.

A knife or spatula dipped in warm water is useful to spread on the icing. With boiled (or White Mountain) cream icing, as it is sometimes called, for a basic recipe, many variations may be made as to flavor and color. Orange and coconut are prime favorites.

Marshmallow frosting is made by adding two heaping tablespoons of a marshmallow whip or eight marshmallows into quarters to the syrup when it is removed from the stove.

Chopped nuts, raisins, figs, candied cherries or fruit may be added after the frosting is spread.

Montreal, Can., plans to open a wine shop for women and managed by members of their own sex. The purpose of the innovation is to make it convenient for women enjoying their own cups to purchase wines without having to rub shoulders with males who now frequent the liquor commission depots.

One of the first schools for girls in Japan was opened by an American woman in Yokohama in 1871.

## The Fortune Hunter

(An Absorbing Love Story.)

By RUBY AYERS

THIRTY-SECOND INSTALLMENT.

The Fortune Hunter had turned the punt about, and was making for the bank where the trees drooped over the river with thick sheltering branches. The leaves were falling already, and the bosom of the water was strewn with them, green, brown and yellow, like little fairy boats.

"And so Foster told you he saw me in London," the Fortune Hunter said after a moment, dryly. "Very kind of him, I'm sure! Had he any other interesting news to impart at the same time?"

She did not answer, but her silence was eloquent, for he broke out again presently:

"Did he tell you some crack-and-bull story that he had seen me a year ago, in San Francisco, running a gambling saloon? He told it to me most eloquently. I grant him."

"No doubt it was easy enough to convince you that he spoke the truth! Did he tell you that, Anne?"

"And if he didn't, he broke out tremulously. 'I suppose you are going to deny that it's true?' He shrugged his shoulders."

"Why should I deny anything, when you have told me already that you will not believe a word I say?"

He ran the punt alongside the bank and sprang ashore, securing the mooring rope to a tree stump. The rain had not increased at all, and as yet the leaves overhead afforded an efficient shelter.

The Fortune Hunter lit a cigarette and sat down on the tree stump, his eyes on Anne's face, and once again the burning desire to take Garry Cannon's advice and tell her the truth rushed through him.

There was a little silence, and he would have said to himself, what mattered more greatly, would she forgive him? Her pretty face seemed to have lost something of its soft childishness, he thought, with a pang, as he grew older and harder. She shivered a little, and he rose hurriedly and piled the cushions more closely around her.

"I'll go back as soon as the rain stops," he said. "You ought to have brought a coat. I'm afraid you will take cold."

"Thank you, I am not cold," the Fortune Hunter looked away down the gray, deserted river and wondered how many times in the future he would think of these days and long for them to come again.

"Is that Fernie's cottage on the opposite bank?" he asked suddenly. He pointed across the stream to a small white-washed house with a crooked chimney, standing by itself at the end of a waterway.

"Yes," Anne followed his gaze. "Yes, that's Long End Cottage."

The Fortune Hunter rose and came to stand beside the punt.

"It's raining harder than ever. I think the best thing we can do is to cross the river and ask him to give us shelter."

"The rain is coming through the leaves now."

He began to unfasten the mooring rope, but Anne cried out in protest: "I will not go over there! I would rather get wet. I hate Fernie, and I will not go into his house."

"If we stay here we shall be drenched to the skin—look at the rain now."

The river was a mass of bubbles, ripples dancing up and down like mischievous sprites. He threw the rope into the punt and followed in, pushing off from the bank determinedly.

"I will not go into Fernie's house," Anne said again excitedly. "John—please, I beg of you."

But he was already pushing out into midstream strongly; the rain was pouring down now, and after a moment his thin shirt and bare arms were running with water.

Anne glanced at him and said no more, but she kept her eyes fixed apprehensively ahead to where the smoke from the crooked chimney of Long End Cottage curled up into the gray sky.

"I am sorry to disobey you," the Fortune Hunter said after a moment. "But it's madness to stay under those trees; you'll take your death of cold."

She laughed. "If I did, you would be free then."

The Fortune Hunter made no answer, but he was looking towards the cottage. He was conscious of a queer sort of eagerness to meet Fernie again; he was curious to see what sort of a home the man had, and what greeting he would give them.

As they neared the opposite bank they saw that Fernie was standing at the open door, his slouched hat pulled down over his eyes as usual, smoking placidly.

He watched them without moving until the punt entered the waterway leading up past his cottage; then he knocked the ash from his pipe and sauntered leisurely down to the bank.

"A sudden shower," he said; he made a clumsy sort of attempt to raise his hat to Anne. "You're welcome to come in, Miss Harding, and shelter."

"There's really no need," she answered hurriedly. "We're so wet now that we might as well go straight home."

"You're welcome, and I've got a fire in the kitchen," was his only answer.

The Fortune Hunter was already on the bank, and he held out his hand to help Anne ashore. Her fingers felt cold in his, and he kept them in his hand for a moment till she drew them away.

"Is the rain going to last, do you think?" the Fortune Hunter asked of Fernie as they went up to the cottage together.

"Shouldn't be surprised, the wind's in the right quarter," was the laconic answer. He went ahead of them and opened the door wider; he seemed to be deliberately avoiding the Fortune Hunter's eyes.

"It's a small place, but you'll find it clean," he said in the same disinterested fashion.

It was a diminutive kitchen, with a bright fire burning in the grate and a chair drawn up close to it.

Anne, looking around with apprehensive eyes, noticed the orderly array of china on the dresser and the freshly scrubbed floor, and she felt vaguely surprised.

"Pull up to the fire, Miss Harding, and warm yourself," Fernie said more affably, as she shivered for the first time he looked at the Fortune Hunter, and added, hesitatingly: "I don't know that I can offer you a change of clothes, Mr. Smith."

His eyes fixed on the Fortune Hunter's wet shirt. "But perhaps you're used to weather of all sorts," he added.

"I am! Weather never troubles me," the Fortune Hunter answered. He shook the rain drops from his hair and dried his wet arms on his handkerchief.

A sudden rust of rain had lashed the window and, glancing out, he saw that the river was blurred and almost hidden from view in driving mist. "We could almost have been home by now," Anne said ungraciously, though in her heart she was grateful for the warmth and shelter.

She leaned forward, holding her hands to the flames, her eyes still wandering curiously around her.

There were none of the many curios visible, of which Tommy had spoken so often with such enthusiasm. The kitchen was almost bare in its tidiness. An old print of the Balaklava Charge hung over the high mantelshelf, on which stood a clock and a couple of pewter mugs, one of them filled with paper spills.

She asked an impulsive question. "Who does your work for you, Mr. Fernie?"

"My work? Do you mean who cleans the cottage?" Miss Harding? Well, I clean it myself, every bit of it and do my own cooking, too! And I dare say that's more than you can do, Mr. Smith," he added, looking up at the Fortune Hunter.

"Oh, I've cooked many a meal in my time," the Fortune Hunter answered, laughing. "And scrubbed the floor of many a shack, too. I remember when I was in 'Frisco.'"

He broke off, as Anne turned and looked up at him, the color rising to her face.

"Oh, so you have been in 'Frisco,' then, after all?" she said slowly.

The Fortune Hunter met Anne's eyes steadily. "I have been in San Francisco half a dozen times," he answered her, "but I have never had the honor of running a gambling saloon there—or of being warned off by the police."

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## BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES



By Thornton W. Burgess

### Farmer Brown's Boy and Prickly Porky

A GREAT silence had fallen on the Old Orchard. Not that the little people gathered there were less excited than they had been a few minutes before when they were screaming as loud as they could; they were even more excited. The truth was they were too excited to waste breath. Farmer Brown's Boy had discovered Prickly Porky!

The first thing he had done was to send Bowser the Hound back to the house. Bowser didn't want to go, but he had been taught obedience, and with hanging head and lowered tail had slowly left the Old Orchard. Two or three times he had stopped to look back, but each time a word from Farmer Brown's Boy had caused him to keep on.

Now bright eyes were watching for Prickly Porky. Boy and excited little people were wondering what would happen to Prickly Porky the Porcupine.

"He won't hurt him, I know. I won't hurt him," said Tommy, the Chickadee to himself. "He'll be good to him, I know he will."

"That fellow has no business here and I hope Farmer Brown's Boy will drive him back where he belongs," thought Chatterer the Red Squirrel, forgetting that he himself belonged over in the Green Forest.

"Prickly Porky doesn't seem the least bit afraid," chuckled Blacky the Crow. "He is such an obstinate fellow that if Farmer Brown's Boy tries to drive him away he'll just drive him back where he belongs."

Prickly Porky had found an apple that Farmer Brown's Boy had put there for some one else and paid no attention at all to Farmer Brown's Boy. The latter went over to the woodshed and presently he returned with a stick of green hemlock.

Sammy Jay's bright eyes danced up at him, the color rising to her face.

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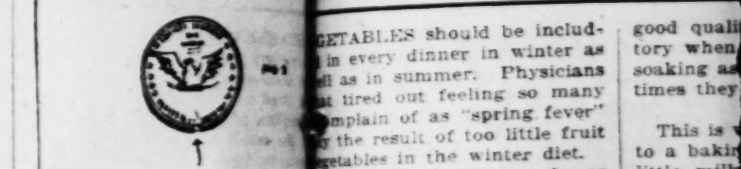
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One of the unique presents which Princess Mary will receive on the occasion of her wedding is a police badge set in jewels.

## The Winter Vegetables



After-Dinner Trick

ORANGE RICE

ONE cup rice, two quarts water, one tablespoon salt, oranges, three tablespoons sugar, three-quarters cup thick cream. Pick over rice, add slowly to boiling water. Boil 15 minutes or until soft, which may be judged by testing kernels. Cooked pour into a bowl and add with the sugar and the cream, then stir into the rice.

Pour into a glass dish and garnish with finely-cut, candied orange. Serves four or five persons.

The Talmadge sisters, famous stars, are the daughters of a St. Louis policeman.

## St. Louis

DR. STARK

"The Pasteur Institute has brought death to each 1000 babies ago to 61.7 in 1921."

"Our pasteurization has not been the pasteurization of all milk in the city; 90 per cent sold in St. Louis."

"A new ordinance soon will provide for more rigorous enforcement, and responding death rate in another year."

From St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

## UNCOMMON SENSE

By JOHN BLAKE

### TWO REQUISITES OF SUCCESS

ONLY a very dull person believes that any man can attain great success. We are born with equal opportunity, but not with equal intelligence. It is true, however, that the dependable man, though he may not be brilliant, is likely to go farther than the brilliant man who is not dependable.

Two very important requisites to success are ability and dependability. The man who has both will get along. He starts with a great advantage over his fellow men.

If you could choose but one, you would better choose dependability than ability. The quick-working, quick-thinking man is admired; but, unless he is reliable, he is not likely to be trusted.

Go into any town small enough so that you may get acquainted with the prosperous citizens, and you will find that most of them are dependable—few of them brilliant.

They plod along at their jobs, giving close attention to details and making as few mistakes as possible, and in a sense they succeed.

Mediocrity may not be the greatest thing in the world, but it very often accumulates wealth, and frequently gathers happiness.

Most men have some little talent for something or other. If it is a talent for drawing or writing or oratory, it is easily discoverable. If it is merely a talent for business, it requires discovering.

But no talent is worth having unless it is accompanied by the hard common sense that teaches a man that he must gain the trust and the confidence of others.

In a shop, the man whom the foreman does not have to watch is the man who gets the foreman's job when the foreman quits, is promoted or discharged.

In a big business organization, the man who will work just as well away from direction is the man who is slated for a high position by and by.

Other men may be able to do their work more quickly, and to achieve more brilliant business strokes. But, if they cannot be counted on to be on the job all the time, they stay where they are.

If you have ability, as we take it for granted you have, don't be sure that it will pull you up the hill. Only when accompanied by dependability will it prove a really useful gift.

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## METHOD IN HER MADNESS



Dolly Has Some Stock in the Taxicab Company

**TROCO**  
FOR TABLE USE  
OLIO-MARINE  
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Full-Pound Package of  
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Watch for the Coupon



# LE PAGE FOR WOMEN

## ATTRACTIVE SPRING HATS



UNDER THE VEIL LAVENDER HAT WITH ORNAMENT OF FLUTED GIBSON. YELLOW STRAW INTERWOVEN WITH WHITE CORD AND A CLUSTER OF FOLIAGE AND FRUITS. EMBROIDERED HAT WITH BRIM OF STRAW.

### After-Dinner Tricks



FIG 1

So, 19—To Tell If It's Head or Tail

A PENNY is spun upon a

performer's back is turned

as it comes to rest, he immediately

calls which side lies uppermost

heads or tails—and his guess is

variably correct.

To perform this one, the performer

must previously prepare

a penny. A very small nick is

made on the edge of the tail's side.

The coin is spun, it settles with

low buzz. If the sound is

harshly, it is due to the little

nick on the performer's back.

The trick may be repeated

often as desired and may be

with a dime or a quarter, if

the performer has that much money.

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ORANGE RICE

ONE cup rice, two quarts

water, one tablespoon salt, two

oranges, three tablespoons

three-quarters cup thick cream.

Pick over rice, add slowly to

boiling water. Boil 30 min.

until soft, which may be

determined by testing kernels.

Drain, pour into a bowl and let

stand. Cut the oranges in slices and

with the sugar and the whip

cream, then stir into the rice.

Pour into a glass dish and garnish

with finely-cut, candied orange

Serves four or five persons.

The Talmadge sisters, famed

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## The Heart of a Girl

A Story of Romance and a Business Career in St. Louis  
By Caroline Crawford

### CHAPTER 45. Another Surprise.

AFTER Peggy returned Billy Bracton's friendship ring to him while they were having luncheon at the noon hour, she walked back slowly down Olive street. Several times she turned back to see if he were following her. She half hoped he would and entreat her to keep it for at least "just a few more days." But she could see no trace of Billy's feet.

The more she thought about Billy's attitude toward her new ideas she realized that she was all wrong and Billy was sensible and she had been moved by theories. If she had never met Walter Pennington she would now be wearing Billy's ring and they would have strolled leisurely back to their offices.

Walter Pennington! How she detested him with his talk about travel and girls not marrying until they were 25. What did he know about travel or about marriage? Why had his ideas seemed so colossal and appealed to her so? Now everything looked just as it did to her before she met Pennington. She could see that Billy was practical and sane where she had been emotional and theoretical. But now it was too late to see. She had had tiffs before with Billy, but this was not just a mere quarrel—it was a break.

All that afternoon while she tapped away at her typewriter upon law briefs her brain whirled around with the dominant thought that she had lost the thing she most prized in the world—Billy's friendship. Then her thoughts turned to Pennington and how he had bragged about his being crazy about her and her being crazy about him. That was what had turned her against him. Probably if she had not heard of this through Billy Bracton she would still believe in his ridiculous theories of types, travel and late marriages.

By the time Peggy was ready to quit work and go home she had calmed herself down to a normal state of mind. She believed that Billy would make things up some way and decided to wait at least two weeks for him to hob up some evening just as if nothing had happened.

But when she rode home and noticed all the happy-faced girls who had their escorts with them her heart sank. Only last night Billy

had piloted her through the crowd and steadied her, as the car awayed. How many evening would she have to go home without him? Hanging to a strap was not half as pleasant as to have a strong arm holding you up.

And then Peggy resolved that she would call Townley up that evening. Never in her life had she called him by telephone or made the slightest overture of friendship. His violets or roses arrived once a week, they usually managed to take a spin in his roadster every Saturday afternoon, and sometimes he called or took her to the theater during the middle of the week, but never had she seemed anxious or desirous of being in his company. Now she would turn the tables. She would surprise him. She would call him over the telephone and invite him to spend the evening at her home.

But when she stepped from the street car and started to cross Hamilton avenue she received a surprise which really amounted to a shock. Townley's roadster, the very canary-colored one he had bought to take her about in, scooted by her and right in the front seat next to him was a very pretty blond girl. And, moreover, the girl was dressed as if she belonged in the car and had fitted herself out for the occasion. She wore a polo coat which matched the canary-colored car to a T. Her hat was a soft shade of tan and was trimmed with little dark blue wings which fitted right in with the canary-colored trimmings of the roadster. Townley did not see Peggy. He

## Chafing Dish Recipes

By Emilie Hoffman

### CHICKEN WITH PEAS.

PUT two tablespoonfuls of butter into the chafing dish. When melted, stir in two tablespoonfuls of flour and gradually add one cup milk, stirring constantly until it thickens. Add one cup leftover chicken cut into large dice, one cup peas and salt and pepper to taste. A cup of shrimp may be substituted for the chicken.

### RUFFLED OYSTERS.

Put one tablespoonful of butter into dish and when melted add a dozen well drained oysters. Be careful not to let burn. When the oysters are ruffled remove oysters. Rub smooth one tablespoonful of butter and one of flour, add the gravy in dish and let it boil up once. Return the oysters to this sauce. When hot serve on circular slices of toast.

### CHEESE CLIP.

Put one tablespoonful of butter into dish. When melted add one tablespoonful of flour, blend this smoothly, season with salt and cayenne and gradually add one cup of milk while stirring constantly. When thick add one cup grated cheese and when this is melted pour the mixture over buttered toast.

### WATERBURY STEAK.

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was looking into the happy face of the girl beside him.

Peggy rolled up her fur collar and hurried on. If she had lost Billy's friendship and Townley had seen her care for her, what should she do?

(Tomorrow—Dark Days.)



## Give It to Them—

This trial tube—watch their teeth improve

If you prefer, let your children make this test. Let them brush their teeth a few days in this modern way. Then look and see what film removal means.

This is a way to whiter, cleaner, safer teeth. Millions now employ it. Leading dentists everywhere advise it. Let someone in your home this week show the benefits it brings.

### [Why teeth look dingy]

Your teeth are coated with a viscous film. You can feel it with your tongue. It clings to teeth, gets between the teeth and stays. It dims and may ruin teeth.

Ordinary tooth pastes do not effectively combat it. So film-coats have been almost universal.

Film absorbs stains, making the teeth look dingy. Film is the basis of tartar. It holds food substance which ferments and forms acids. It holds the acids in contact with the teeth to cause decay. Germs breed by millions in it. They,

with tartar, are the chief cause of pyorrhea. Thus most tooth troubles are now traced to film, and, despite the tooth brush, they have constantly increased.

### Must remove it daily

Dental science has long been seeking a daily film combatant. Now two effective methods have been found. Authorities have proved them by many careful tests.

A new-day tooth paste has been perfected, to comply with modern requirements. And these two film combatants are embodied in it. The name of the tooth paste is Pepsodent.

Millions of people of some forty races now employ it daily, largely by dental advice.

### Two other new effects

Pepsodent brings two other effects which authorities now deem essential. It multiplies the starch digestant in saliva. That is there to digest starch

ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH  
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25, 1922.

## Lest I Forget

By SOPHIE IRENE LOEB

LEST I forget the one person who helped me in my greatest hour of woe. And who in later life came to my door seeking sympathy in his time of need. Lest I forget the mother who went through the agony of death to bring me into the world. And right or wrong— In time of pleasure or pain—to stand by me. A tower of strength, to congratulate, condone or console. Through all the growing years and even unto the end. And who now, in her old age, silently calls for the solace that should be hers. Lest I forget the friend Who fought for me in public and gave good counsel in private. And took my battles on his shoulder. Even at sacrifice to self. And who now, hard-hit, needs me to act in his behalf. Lest I forget, the woman, the wife. Who linked life with me, the husband. When I had nothing and had need to work my way to better things: Who toiled and slaved that my success be more secure. Who is not so lovely as a younger one. And whom I have neglected. But who now should share with me the best I have. Lest I forget the faithful one Who aids me and is underpaid. Who struggles in doing his duty as a matter of course. The deeds that make me richer for his being there. Lest I forget the stranger at my door. Who asks my help and whom I turn aside. Because of selfish view to help but mine. And but for the grace of God I might be that very man. Lest I forget the self-respect that I owe myself. Then will I remember always these things. (Copyright, 1922.)

### Rice and Olive Croquettes

HALF CUP rice, half cup boiling water, one and a half cups milk, one egg, beaten; half cup olives, half teaspoon salt, one and a half cups

white sauce, one cup grated cheese, fine crumbs. Boil rice in water. Add milk until absorbed. Add salt and chopped olives. Cool, shape into croquettes. Dip in egg and crumbs, fry. Serve with white sauce in which grated cheese has been melted.

## FREE

At Your Dealers  
This Week

Present the coupon to any store named below. You will receive a 10-Day Tube of Pepsodent. Get it today, then watch the delightful effects on the teeth.

deposits on teeth which may otherwise ferment and form acids. It multiplies the alkalinity of the saliva. That is Nature's neutralizer for the acids which cause decay. Every application gives these great tooth-protecting forces multiplied effect.



### Real protection now

Now you can know what really clean teeth mean. Pepsodent fights film-coats, starch and acids—all the great tooth enemies. Then it leaves the mouth in normal alkaline condition. The glistening teeth you see everywhere now show something of the benefits it brings.

### New beauty in a week

The Pepsodent effects are quickly seen and felt. This test will be a revelation to you.

Present the coupon for a 10-Day Tube. Note how clean the teeth feel after using. Mark the absence of the viscous film. See how teeth whiten as the film-coats disappear. Note the refreshing taste it leaves.

It will bring you prettier teeth, and quickly. But, more than that, it will bring you safer teeth. Cut out the coupon so you won't forget.

## St. Louis Has the Healthiest Babies

### Because—

St. Louis mothers are particular on every point of their baby's raising.

Milk is the baby's most essential food and—

four times as many mothers use Pevely—the Best Milk—as any other milk.

We are proud of the help we are giving mothers in making St. Louis the healthiest place to raise babies.

### DR. STARKLOFF Says—

"The Pasteurization of Milk More Than Anything Else Has Brought Death Rate From 149 in Each 1000 Babies Fifteen Years Ago to 61.7 in 1921.

"Our pasteurization ordinance has not been perfect. It has provided for the pasteurization and inspection of all milk coming into the city, but only privately enforced surveillance of milk produced within the city; 90 per cent of milk sold in St. Louis is pasteurized.

"A new ordinance going into effect soon will provide the machinery for more rigid inspection and enforcement, and I look for a corresponding decrease in the infant death rate in another year."

From St. Louis Post-Dispatch, Jan. 24, 1922.

Every Child Is Entitled to a Quart of Milk a Day

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Out-of-town residents should mail this coupon to The Pepsodent Company, 1104 So. Wabash Ave., Chicago, and the tube will be sent by mail.

Only one tube to a family. Post-Dispatch, St. Louis, Mo.



ARMS TREATIES  
ALLOWED TO WAIT  
ON FENCE-FIXING  
FOR FALL ELECTIONApparent Willingness of  
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Bonus and Tariff Ahead  
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Campaign.IMPORTANT FACTS  
TAKE THEIR CHANCEPresident Hesitates to Risk  
Touchy Statesmen on  
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Minded Partisans There  
Have Their Own Way.By CHARLES G. ROSS,  
Chief Washington Correspondent  
of the Post-Dispatch.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The ap-  
parent willingness of the Harding  
administration to let the Senate put  
the soldier bonus bill and the tariff  
ahead of consideration of the arms  
treaties growing out of the arm  
conference is largely due to insis-  
tence by congressional leaders that  
domestic legislation be speeded up  
so as to permit of adjournment by  
June 1.With elections coming on in the  
fall, House members particularly  
are anxious to get back into their  
respective districts and begin their  
campaign as soon as possible. The  
don't like the idea of being held  
in session longer than they think need  
sary.The House, they say, is well for-  
ward with its legislative work, and  
if the Senate would show the same  
speed, adjournment could easily be  
taken on the date suggested. The  
would give several months for the  
mending of political fences be-  
havior, many of which are in a  
toriously shaky condition. It is in  
the interest of the administration,  
course, to give the present Repub-  
lican majority in Congress every op-  
portunity to perpetuate itself.An Eye to the Campaign.  
Since the treaties prove grist for  
the Senatorial mill, the sugges-  
tion has been made on the House  
side that both branches concentrate  
on necessary domestic business dur-  
ing the remainder of the present  
session, and leave the treaties to be  
dealt with at a subsequent spec-  
ial session of the Senate. Some Sen-  
ators are favorable to this propo-  
sal; others, having an eye to the  
campaign work to be done in don't  
ful dates, are against it. An al-  
ternative suggestion is that the treat-  
ies be taken up within the next 10  
months, before the calendar is ex-  
hausted with the annual appropri-  
ation bills.In view of the conflicting opin-  
ions of congressional leaders as to what  
should be done, it is impossible to  
forecast with any degree of cer-  
tainty the place to which the treat-  
ies will be assigned on the legisla-  
tive calendar.The two things now uppermost  
in the composite congressional mind  
are the tariff and the bonus. How-  
ever, the House has been told by Rep-  
ublican spokesmen at the other end  
of the Capitol that the permanent  
bill will be reported to the Sen-  
ate early next month. At ap-  
proximately the same time, if the  
dictations of House leaders are fol-  
lowed, the House will receive from  
the Ways and Means Committee  
draft of the proposed soldier bon-  
us bill.President Treating Tactfully.  
The Republican program calls  
for passage of both the tariff and  
soldier bonus bill before adjourn-  
ment. The treaties will have to wait  
their chance. The Senate moves  
its own way in its waders to per-  
form. Having been a Senator himself,  
President knows how greatly the  
Senate respects "executive inter-  
ference."  
Faced with the difficult task  
of getting his foreign policy O.K'd  
by the touchy statesmen to whom  
Constitution directs he shall give  
"advice," the President will try to  
as tactfully as possible in all  
dealings with "the Hill." He  
let the Senate make its own  
schedule in relation to the treat-  
ies—which is precisely what the  
State would do anyway.Bankers to Meet May 16 and 17  
By Associated Press.  
SEATTLE, Mo., Jan. 24.—The  
annual convention of the Miss-  
ouri Bankers' Association will be held  
Executive Springs May 16 and 17.  
was decided here yesterday by  
association's Council of Adminis-  
tration.

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## MY FAVORITE STORIES

By IRVIN S. COBB



## SIGHT UNSEEN, AS IT WERE.

ONCE upon a time—this, as the sequel will show, was before prohibition came—the Palm Beach Flier, northbound, was compelled by reason of a wreck ahead to detour over a side line. When the passengers on the Pullmans awoke in the morning they found the train halted for an indefinite stop at a small settlement set among the scrub oak, jack pines and dwarf palmettos of interior Florida. Next only to the tiny station the most important looking structure in sight was an unpainted frame shack facing the tracks. Over its door-  
way, in awkward capitals, was lettered this imposing promise:

NEW YORK BAR.

ALL KINDS OF FANCY DRINKS SERVED HERE.  
Reading this sign, two Easterners on board one of the sleeping cars were seized with a waggish idea. They left their staterooms and, crossing the rails, entered the establishment.

Its interior decorations were exceedingly simple. At the front was a broad, unpainted board, supported on two barrels. Behind this barrier, against the wall, a small, bearded mirror hung. On either side of the mirror, upon a narrow shelf, stood a black bottle, flanked by a meager store of smeary toddy glasses. Beneath it was a beer keg, resting upon the floor on its side.

In the rear was a small, rusty stove. The air being chilly, a fire of pine knots blazed in it. A lanky individual, plainly the proprietor, sat in a broken chair close up to the stove with his bare feet in the warm ashes, reading a tattered copy of a Jacksonville paper.

He did not raise his head as the strangers entered, nor did they hail him. They lined up side by side before the makeshift bar, and one of them, addressing space, said:

"Seeing that they serve all sorts of fancy drinks here, I'll have a gin ricky. What are you going to have," he added, addressing his fellow joker.

"Well," said the other, "I think I'll take a dry martini cocktail, made with French vermouth."

Without shifting his position or lifting his eyes from his paper, the proprietor now spoke:

"I kin lick any dam' Yankee in the house—an' I ain't even looked yit!"

## METROPOLITAN MOVIES :: By GENE CARR



"He's a thoroughbred—at's wot he is."  
"Yeah, but wot kind of a thoroughbred?"  
"No special kind, just a thoroughbred."

## MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY

By James J. Montague.



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Time was, when I essayed to maul  
The dimpled and elusive pill,  
And never budged the thing at all;  
I took the matter rather ill.  
And though I'm certain that my tongue  
Had never framed an oath before,  
Upon the ground my club I flung  
And—I'm inclined to fear—I swore.

Thereafter, and without remorse,  
When various sorts of flubs I made,  
Repeatedly I had recourse  
To imprecation's artful aid.  
Each time the ball went in the rough,  
Each time it stayed upon the tee,  
My maledictions were enough  
To shock a sailor of the sea.

My oburgations multiplied  
With every wallop that I missed;  
With every slice or hook, I tried  
To add a new one to my list.  
I used the long, resounding kind;  
I used the snappy ones and terse,  
And I was much dismayed to find  
That all the while my game grew worse.

I play a little better now.  
I'm good at drives and putts and chips;  
Yet not a frown distorts my brow,  
And not a cuss-word soils my lips.  
And if I sometimes miss the ball,  
As o'er the fairgreen I pursue it,  
I do not ever swear at all,  
I let the little caddy do it!

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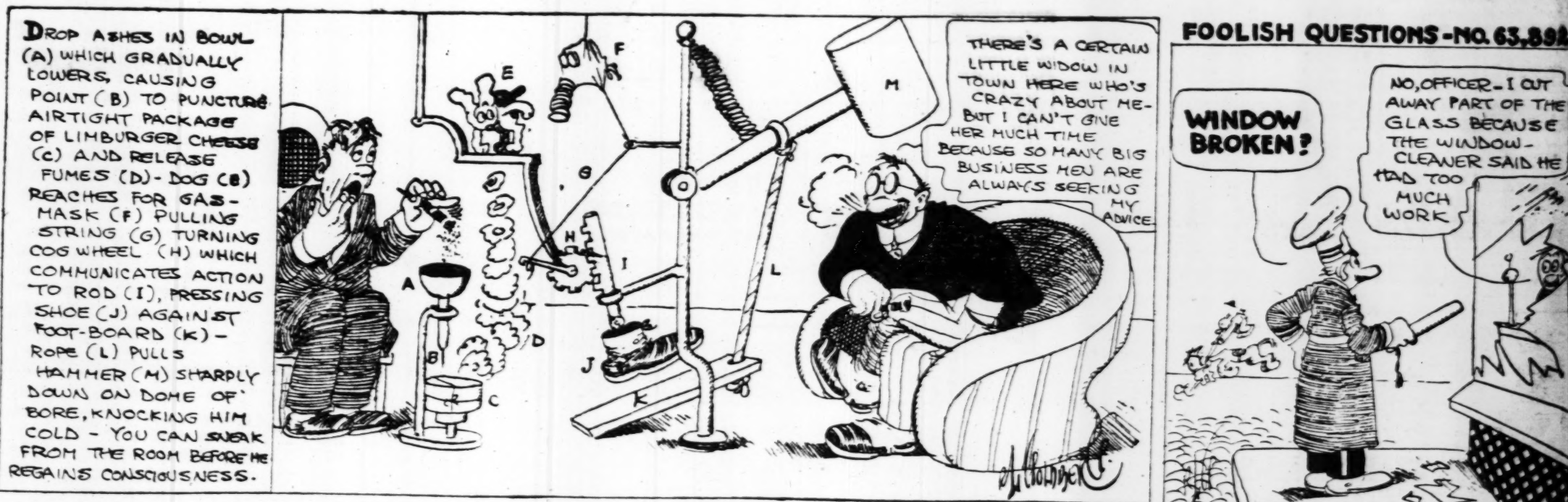
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